...case, the great first cause
...from neglect of Nature's laws.
NOT; WHEN A CURE IS
...TED IN ALL CASES OF
...CRET DISEASE.
...s Debility, Strictures, Gleet, Gravel, &c.
...ng, Inflammation and Bladder Irritation, Incontinence, Scrofula, Pains in the ... and Ankles, Diseases of the Lungs, Throat, Nose and ... Liver, Dyspepsia, Liver Complaint, Eruptions on the Face, Pains in the Back and Head, Female Irregularities, and
...R DISCHARGES FROM BOTH SEXES
...from what cause the disease originated, ... standing or obstinate the case, recovery in a ... shorter time than a permanent cure from ... any other treatment, even after the skill of eminent physicians and resorts of ... cure. The medicines are pleasant to take, ... sickness and free from mercury or balsam. ... years of practice, I have received from ... many thousands, who in the last stages of ... sexual diseases, had been given up to die by ... which warrants me in promising to ... positively cure themselves under my care, a perfect ... cure. Secret diseases are the greatest curse ... as they are the first cause of Consumption, ... of many other diseases, and should be a ... warning to the human family. As a permanent cure is assured ... in nearly all the cases falling into the hands of the ... present persons, who not only fail to cure ... the constitution, filling the system with ... with the disease, hastens the sufferer into ... disease and the treatment not cause a death ... my victim marries, the disease is entailed ... on, who are born with feeble constitutions, ... of life corrupted by a virus which betrays ... Tetter, Ulcers, Eruptions and other ... skin, Eyes, Throat and Lungs, entailing ... existence of suffering, and consigning them ... is another formidable enemy to health, ... the dread catalogue of human diseases ... a drain upon the system, drawing ... victims, through a few years of suffering, ... early grave. It destroys the Nervous ... takes away the energies of life, causes ... prevents the proper development of the ... for marriage, society, business, and ... leaves the sufferer wrecked in body ... exposed to consumption and a train of evils ... than death itself. With the fullest ... the unfortunate victims of Self-Abuse that ... speedy cure can be effected, and with the ... almost practical my patients can be restored ... health.
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" "	West "	7.00 "	"	7.25 "

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Dec. 23, '56-tf] THOS. A. SCOTT, *Sup't.*

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Mountain Lodge, A. Y. M., No. 281, meets on second Tuesday of each month, in the third story of the Masonic Temple, at 7½ o'clock, P. M.

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GROCERIES.—A LARGE AND complete assortment of Groceries have just been received at the store of J. B. HILEMAN.

Select Poetry.

"YOU KISSED ME."

The following beautiful and chaste morsel of poetry has been handed to us for publication, and the authenticity claimed for a beautiful young lady in this place. We admire the sentiments expressed, and presume that many of our young men will feel disposed to envy the fortunate gentleman who caused her to enjoy so much bliss. We have only to say to the fortunate youth, try again:

You kissed me! My head had dropped low on your breast,
With a feeling of shelter and infinite rest;
While the holy emotion my tongue dared not speak,
Flushed up, like a flame, from my heart to my cheek!
Your arms held me fast—oh! your arms were so bold!
Heart beat against heart in their passionate hold.
Your glances seemed drawing my soul through my eyes,
As the sun draws the mist from the sea to the skies,
And your lips clung to mine till I prayed in my bliss,
They might never unclasp from that rapturous kiss.

You kissed me! My heart, and my breath, and my will
In delirious joy for the moment stood still;
Life had for me then no temptations—no charms—
No vista of pleasure outside of your arms.
And were I this instant an angel, possessed
Of the glory and peace that are given the blest,
I would fling my white robes unrepiningly down,
And tear from my forehead its beautiful crown,
To nestle once more in that haven of rest,
With your lips upon mine, and my head on your breast.

You kissed me! My soul is a bliss so divine,
Reeled and swooned like a foolish man drunken with wine,
And I thought it were delicious to die, then, if death
Would come while my mouth was yet moist with your breath;
'Twere delicious to die if my heart might grow cold,
While your arms wrapt me round in that passionate fold.
And these are the questions I ask day and night;
Must my life taste but once such exquisite delight?
Would you care if your breast were my shelter as then?
And if you were here, would you kiss me again?

Select Miscellany.

COMMON EVENTS.

During two years of a delicious portion of my life, my leisure was devoted to her whose life is now devoted to mine. Three or four evenings each week, and every Sunday, were considered as sacred to each other; we walked, talked, laughed, and whispered in perfect unison; went to church regularly, and returned, commenting upon the services of the day. Reposing in one another mutual and entire confidence, and looking forward to a "common event" as the natural termination of our present attachment, we had no "lovers' quarrels," no fears, no jealouses; the course of *our* "true love" was as smooth as the surface of a placid lake on a summer's eve.

There was but one circumstance which threw a bitter into my gentle girl's cup of happiness, and disturbed the serenity of her temper. In going and coming, we had to pass a house which contained a large family of grown-up daughters, and these had the idle habit of perpetually staring out from their parlor window into a quiet little street, whose chief events were the passing of the baker, the butcher, the beggar, or the ballad-singer. We, of course, were conspicuous objects for the "broad stares" of what the Scotch call "tawpies," an expressive word for idle, hoyden girls; and as the window was scarcely ever without a sentinel, our approach was telegraphed, "along the line the signal ran," and some seven or eight heads were presently seen bobbing over one another, like fish leaping in the water. Nothing annoyed my companion more than to have regularly to run the gauntlet of observation from these "*idle* creatures," as she bitterly termed them. She could not change a ribbon on her bonnet, or alter a boot-lace, without its being carefully noted. I knew, also, that I was diligently scrutinized by these diligent observers, who "read off," as the astronomers say, my air, aspect, height, walk, dress, &c., &c., not without an occasional sneering comparison, (what an abominable thing it is for a young lady to *sneer!*—the almost unfailing indication of a selfish disposition,) but I did not mind it—or rather I liked the "joke." A coarse or a common mind would have enjoyed the triumph of having an attentive "bachelor" to parade regularly before half-a-dozen damsels, not one of whom could boast that a "bachelor" ever entered their door; but Eliza held the faith that *all* young women should be married, and comfortably married too; and therefore she shrank from provoking envy, where no envy should exist. Passing this, however, I may repeat that these girls were almost the only troubles of our quiet and happy courtship: but so sensitive was Eliza, that, as there was no other way of getting out of the street than by passing the window of the "tawpies," we have frequently sat till it was dark, and thereby lost our evening's walk, rather than go out in daylight and pass under the ordeal of observation.

The wedding-day was fixed, and time flew on. We were a "sensible" couple, and resolved that our wedding should be sober and sedate—a quiet breakfast with a few choice friends after the important ceremony, and a still quieter excursion. In fact, being so *very* "sensible," our imaginations vaulted beyond the wedding-day, and sketched out our future domestic felicity. Eliza wanted a nice little cottage "out of town;" where, at the garden-gate, on summer evenings, she would watch for me, as I returned fatigued from business; and I, on my part, saw my own dear wife, the "light and life" of my existence, moving about my own house, more as an angel than a woman, and making my fireside radiant. Nay, we speculated, too, about our prospective family; and though Eliza blushed, and smiled and laughed, her imagination had already dressed up three or four delightful little creatures with "golden" hair, clear complexions, sparkling eyes, and loud, ringing, merry voices. Then we shook our heads about the awful responsibility of a family; and we laid down plans how they were to be brought up, educated, and provided for; and we resolved to be economical in our expenses, correct in our deportment, and exact in all our doings—our prospective children were to become little models for the human race. What a deal of romance there is in the hearts of a fond young couple, to be gradually dsssipated by broken china bowls, smashed toys, and a number of little *jet ceteras*, "too numerous to mention!"

About three o'clock, on a dark, dreary, stormy November morning, I was suddenly roused out of a profound sleep by somebody shaking my shoulder and flaring a candle in my face. When very much fatigued, as was the case on the present occasion, I am, like some wild animals, difficult to be awakened, and usually stare in bewilderment before comprehension exerts its influence. "You did not hear me," said a voice; "I knocked first at the door, and then made bold to enter. You had better get up, sir, for mistress is becoming very bad."

The words of the summons were very indistinctly heard, but I knew the cause; so I drawled out: "Ye-es, I'll get up immediately." So saying, I sank back in the bed, and was in an instant once more in a sound sleep.

I do not know whether I slept five minutes or an hour, but I was startled by a sharp clicking, caused by the sudden turning of the handle of the door, and the hasty re-entry of my disturber. "Oh, sir, you must get up, you must indeed! I'll leave the candle, sir, but you must be smart."

The voice was the voice of one of a privileged class, who, like the fools of the ancient time, sometimes presume on their prerogative. There was no time, however, for ceremony on the present occasion.—"Yes, nurse," I replied, "I'll be up instantly;" and as at that moment, a moan struck on my ear, proceeding from the adjoining bed-room, my heart spoke to my heels;—I was on the floor dressed in a minute.

The wind blew in gusts, the windows danced in their frames, and the rains splashed against the glass. My poor wife tried to hide her agony, and apologized for raising me, though the apology was interrupted by a scream. "Oh, my dear, I am so sorry—but nurse thinks the doctor should be sent for." The house shook, at that moment, to the very foundation. "Really, William, I cannot think of letting you go out—you'll be killed by the falling of some chimney-top—send Mary."

Now, I had no particular fancy for going out, but to let the girl go rather jarred with my selfishness. "No, no, my dear, you'll require Mary yourself—I won't be many minutes."

"Well, William, wrap yourself up; take care of yourself. Nurse, go down and help him on with his great-coat—William, take care—oh!"

"Poor dear soul!" said I to myself, as I went out; "thinking of me in the midst of her own sufferings. Well, after all, the women are a good set—I hope my poor wife will get well after all!"

In about ten minutes I was standing at the door of a corner house, with my hand on the brass handle of a bell-pull, round which were engraved the words "Night Bell." It answered my rather vigorous pull with a loud and long-continued reverberation. Meantime I tried to shelter myself within the door-way, for the wind howled around me, and the rain battered and slashed at me, as if it were glad to get a solitary victim who could feel its violence. Nobody answered. The interval might be five minutes, but at that moment I could have sworn in a court of justice that I had stood there half the night. I pulled the third time, and the bell seemed destined to ring forever, while I made the knocker do the work of a sledge-hammer. At last a foot-step shuffled along the passage; the door-chain rattled; the bolts were withdrawn; and a head, the front of which must have weighed heavy from the profusion of its papers, projected, like the Irishman's gun, "round the corner."

"Rouse up Dr. Nugent—tell him I want him."

"Oh, sir, he's out—but he left word he should be sent for. Are you from Angelplace, sir?"

"Yes, yes, yes—where *is* the doctor? I will go for him myself."

"At No. 20 Manchester Terrace—just turn round, and ——"

The rest of the direction might or might not have been given. I knew whereabouts Manchester Terrace lay, so off I ran, at full gallop, facing wind and rain.

Arrived at the terrace, I saw a long row of houses, every door alike, every knocker alike, and every area alike. I began to doubt whether or not it were twenty or thirty I had to call at, and I paused to consider. The wind drove me onwards, and I began to get angry with myself; my anger only confused my recollection the more. I was now uncertain whether it might not be thirty-six, or forty-six, or fifty-six. "Drat babies, doctors, nurses and all!" I exclaimed; "what the plague brings me here?" I looked upwards to see if I could discern any symptoms of bustle, or any glimmering indications that human beings were watching the agonies of human beings. Every window and every house seemed dark and silent as the grave. I now looked round for the watchman, or for anybody who by instinct or observation might help to detect the presence of a doctor in some one of the "uniformities" of Manchester Terrace. Not a living soul could I see. I knocked at thirty-six—no answer. I knocked at forty-six—the same result. In a passion I knocked at fifty-six, and presently high above-head I heard the whistling sound of a window thrown up, and a deep voice called out, "Well, sir, what do *you* want?"

"Oh, I beg your pardon, sir, I am afraid I am mistaken, but I thought Dr. Nugent was here."

"No!" thundered the voice, and the window thundered down after it.

Drenched with rain, and out of humor with myself, I blamed the flickering lamps for making me forget the number, and then resolved to run back and give the doctor's servant a good "blowing up," which she would remember for some time. Turning the corner, I came in rather violent contact with a man wrapped in a cloak, and could have throttled him. Shame, however, succeeded to wrath when I discovered in my antagonist the "Doctor" I was in search of.

"Oh, doctor," said I, "this is lucky—I have been seeking for you like a fool, up and down here. Come along."

We walked for a little way in silence, for the doctor was a thoughtful man and had left a death-bed. I *should* talk, however. "Well now, doctor, this circumstance of strangers coming home in the night time is not very pleasant. I am rather out of humor with the joke."

"Sir," said the doctor, "your wife at home thinks it no joke, and I fancy she has the worst of the bargain. Do you not think, now, that if *your* safety, or even your comfort required it, she would go out for you, if it were raining cats and dogs?"

I need not record my answer, nor tell whether it were in the affirmative or negative. We shortly arrived at home; I went down stairs to dry myself at the kitchen fire, and the doctor went up stairs to his patient, I was going to say, but that is not exactly the word.

By-and-by, down come the nurse, her looks full of importance, but struggling to maintain her professional equanimity. A few orders were given to Mary, and Mary flew like a mad-cap, evincing by her excited manner how highly she estimated the honor of even a very humble share in the important proceedings. Then, approaching the fire, where I was standing, nurse muttered a "Beg your pardon, sir," in a tone which seemed to insinuate that I ought to beg *her* pardon and get out of the way. I never felt so insignificant in my life.

Left for some time to myself, I become uneasy, and went on the stairs to listen if "anybody were coming." I heard the bed-room door open, and presently a thrill scream announced the important fact that I was a papa, and the father of a child blessed with excellent lungs.

Mary now descended, her face as round and as full as the moon, and "wreathed with smiles." "I wish you much joy, sir; you have got a son." Indeed, I am glad it is a boy." "Well, then, sir, it is as pretty a baby as I have seen this many a day." I gave Mary half-a-crown.—"Thank you, sir—well, I am sure you will quite doat on the little dear—it's a fine baby, sir, and so large!"

The *size* of a baby is an essential ingredient in its value. So thinks the women; and reader, if you ever visit on such an occasion, beware how you drop a syllable about the little thing being little, even if you think it could be immersed in a pint vessel.

Up went Mary; and down she came again, to desire me to walk up to see my son. At the door the doctor met me, and we shook hands; and the nurse, sitting in all the glory of her state, called on me to come over and see what a fine little fellow he was. But I went to the mother first; kissed her, and she looked up in my face with such an aspect of *triumphant* affection, that I loved her more than ever.—Then I went to visit my son. "Take him in your arms, sir," said the nurse; "is'nt he a glorious little fellow?"

I had never in my life seen a new-born baby. I was the youngest of my father's family, and circumstances so happened that I had never seen a child younger than three weeks or a month old. I now felt shocked. Had it been any other persons child, I could have *philosophised* on the matter; but *my* child—*my* first-born—the child of her whom I had loved with all the order of a youth, and now with all the graver yet stronger attachment of a man—it was shocking—horrible. The little thing seemed so very little, measured by my usual habits of comparison—it seemed so helpless, so miserable, and—the skin of its face hanging loosely—so like a little old man, and therefore so ugly—that I involuntarily turned away.

"Well, now," exclaimed the nurse, who had marked the expression of my countenance, "what's the matter with master? Isn't it a pretty little dear?"

"No!" I replied, rather fiercely, and walked away. My wife followed me with her eyes—she could not divine the cause. Mary and the nurse were in raptures with the child; both affirmed it to be so large and so pretty, and the doctor, though not so extravagant in his encomiums, still pronounced it to be a very healthy, fine boy. "Are you sorry it is born, William?" said my wife, gently, while the tears were in her eyes. I now felt the necessity of acting the *hypocrite*, if I did not wish to agitate, perhaps dangerously, her whom I really loved. "No, no, Eliza, no no! my feelings were so much excited about *you!*" I kissed her again, and went over to look a second time at my son. Its sfeatures were small and regular, and an experienced eye might easily have prognosticated that the child would *become* a very pretty child.—But, as I gazed on it, the face become distorted, preliminary to a scream; and the idea of its smallness and its ugliness so fastened on me, that I was obliged to retreat from the room, under pretence of faintness and fatigue.

In truth, it is a great mistake which the women commit in supposing that men generally feel an interest in new-born babies. Whenever we hear a happy father chiming in with the chorus—"glorious little fellow—pretty little dear—great, stout, beautiful baby!" we set him down either as partly a fool, or partly enacting the hypocrite. The feeling of the MOTHER has been growing for months before the stranger makes its appearance, and her interest in it is identified with herself. But the feeling of the FATHER cannot be properly stirred till the little eyes begin to beam with intelligence, and a smile plays over the face of the child.

☞ The ubiquitous scamp—a Western editor—gets off the following:

"Dearest, I will build thee a cot all covered with ivy, in some secluded vale, close by the purling brook meandering over its pebbly bottom, incessantly babbling, in dulcet, tinkling strains, "Love, love, love, where the atmosphere, redolent of soothing, spicy aromas, that make the eye languish and the heart dissolve in the liquid fires of love—where the balmy morning zephyrs, sigh in the dense forest's leafy mazes, chanting love's melody—where the tiny songsters that whirl in etherial space warble nought but love. I will plant thee a garden of gorgeous loveliness, culled from nature's ardent design, warmest tints, and sweet smelling incense. Dolphy, dear, don't forget to have a patch for cowcombers and inguns—they're so nice pickled."

A TIME TO REST.—There lies in the depths of every heart, that dream of youth, that chastened wish of manhood, which neither cares nor honors can extinguish; the hopes of one day resting from the pursuits which absorb us; of interposing between our old age and the tomb, some tranquil interval of reflection, when with feelings not subdued but softened, with passion not exhausted but mellowed, we may look calmly on the past without regret, and the future without apprehension. But in the tumult of the world, the vision forever, recedes as we approach it; the passions which have agitated our life, disturb our latest hours, and we go down to the grave like the sun in the ocean, sullen in its beamless decent with all its fiery glow, long after it has lost its power and its splendor.

SOMETHING OF A DOG.—Queen Victoria has been presented with a dog born in Pennsylvania, and named Prince. The Queen has, it is said, taken an especial fancy to the happy animal, whose moneyed value is estimated at $1,250. This favored animal of the canine species is but a year old. Height 47 inches; length 5 feet 9 inches; girth of body, 41 inches; girth of foreleg, 13 inches; girth of neck, 25 inches; weight over 200 lbs. Such is his strength, that a man weighing over 200 lbs. may spring on his back without causing him to flinch. He has been accustomed to carry a boy on his back; consequently he requires but little practice to make a first-rate saddle dog.

☞ During fifteen years there has been but one month so rainy as the month of May, 1858. The most copiously wet month was June, 1855, when there was 10.275 inches of water; in May, 1858, the amount was 9.635 inches or almost 9½ inches. This is about one-fourth of the usual average of rain in a year.

☞ There is a local editor out west so poor, that he never stands on more than one foot at a time, for fear that he may wear out his boots too quick.

Punch on Printers.

How nice this being a printer! A public servant, and well nigh the slave of the devil! a good natured fellow, must always smile, bow to everybody, must be killing polite on all occasions, especially to the ladies, must always be a dear duck of a man, always witty, always dignified, must never do anything that would not accord with the strictest sense of propriety of the most precise old maid, and must always be correct in everything he does and says; is always expected to know all the latest news, is styled Muggins if he is not always posted, must of course please everybody, and certainly is supposed never to be in need of the "one thing needful," must work for nothing, board yourself, must trust everybody, and is thought a great bore if he should present his bill, must be a ladder for all political aspirants to step into office, who very soon become independent, don't owe him anything, consider the printer at best a sorry dog, who cannot expect any better treatment than kicks and cuffs, and finally summing it up, he is expected to be "a man without a model and without a shadow."

SILENT INFLUENCE.—It is the bubbling spring which flows gently, the little rivulet which runs along, day and night, by the farm-house, that is useful rather than the swollen flood or warning cataract. Niagara excites our wonder, and we stand amazed at the power and greatness of God there, as he "poured it from the hollow of his hand." But one Niagara is enough for the continent or the world, while the same world requires thousands and tens of thousands of silver fountains and gently flowing rivulets, that water every farm and meadow, and every garden, and that shall flow on every day and every night with their gentle, quiet beauty. So with the acts of our lives. It is not by great deeds like those of the martyrs, that good is to be done; it is by the daily and quiet virtues of life—the Christian temper, the meek forbearance, the spirit of forgiveness, in the husband, the wife, the father, the mother, the brother, the sister, the friend, the neighbor, that it is to be done.

A GOOD HIT.—Some of our editorial brethren are pretty sharp. They give and receive the hardest kind of raps often times. Here is a specimen:

A western editor, speaking of one of his brethren of the quill, noted for his fatness, remarked that if the Scripture proverb, that "All flesh is grass," is true, then that man must be a load of hay.

"I expect I am, from the way the asses are nibbling at me," replied the fat man.

☞ Earn your own bread and see how sweet it will be! Work and see how cheerful you will be! Work and see how well you will be! Work and see how independent you will be! Work and see how happy your family will be! Work and see how religious you will be! for before you know where you are, instead of repining at Providence you will find yourself offering up thanks for the numerous blessings you enjoy!

☞ They have a queer way of doing some things in Illinois. Two lovers wanted to get married, but the girl's mother wouldn't consent, and she being of age, the gentleman sued out a writ of habeas corpus, and the mother was compelled to bring the daughter to Court. The judge asked the girl whether she wanted to marry smith? She said "yes," and he married them.

THE METHODIST CHURCH SOUTH.—The General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church at its late session in Nashville, expunged from the Book of Discipline all reference to the subject of buying and selling slaves. According to the constitutional law of the Church, three fourths of the annual Conferences must concur in this action. The vote stood, ayes 140, noes 8.

☞ An honest son of Erin, green from his peregrinations, put his head into a lawyer's office and asked the inmate—

"An' what do you sell here?"

"Blockheads," replied the limb of the law.

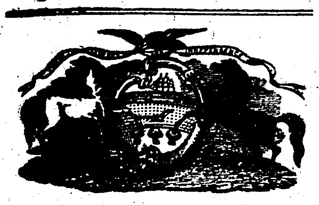
"Och, then, to be sure," said Pat, "it must be a good trade, for I see there is but one of them left."

NEW WAY TO COLLECT.—The Steubenville Herald publishers employs a man with the "small pox" *to collect* his debts. The subscribers and job customers are all paying up without being called upon, and the Herald man is getting wealthy very fast.

☞ 'I say, Jim,' said a plough-boy the other day to his companion, 'I know of a new-fashioned mackintosh to keep out the wet.' 'What's that?' 'Why, if you eat a red herrin for breakfast, you'll be dry all day.'

☞ From a single fly more than two millions of these pests are produced in one summer.

The Altoona Tribune.



ALTOONA, PA.

THURSDAY, JULY 1, 1858.

☞ Where parties are unknown to us, *our* rule for advertising is to require payment in advance, or a guarantee from known persons. It is therefore useless for all such to send us advertisements offering to pay at the end of three or six months. Where advertisements are accompanied with the money, whether *one*, five or ten dollars, we will give the advertiser the full benefit of cash rates.

NO PAPER NEXT WEEK.—No paper will be issued from this office next week. Reason why, we wish to enjoy the pleasures of the coming holiday, and desire that those connected with us should do the same.

☞ The Philadelphia papers, of Monday, bring us intelligence of the death of two of Philadelphia's distinguished men—Hon. Robert T. Conrad and Hon. Job R. Tyson. Both died suddenly.

☞ We see by the foreign news that trouble is apprehended between France and England. The London Times intimates that the French powers are preparing for an invasion of England.

☞ The Secretary of the Treasury invites sealed proposals for $10,000,000 stock of the United States, to be issued under act of the 14th of June. It will be reimbursable in fifteen years from the first of January, 1859, and bear interest at the rate of five per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually.

☞ The New York Sun says that, "at a recent meeting of stockholders in the New York and Erie Railroad, a report was made by which it appears that the Company has lost ground to the tune of $400,064 during the last six months.—Other items swell the deficiency, in failing to meet its obligations, to half a million."

☞ Accident has raised to the memory of Franklin an appropriate monument.—The grave of the Philosopher is in a Philadelphia grave-yard, which is surrounded by a high wall, the gates through which are kept locked. Just over the grave run the wires of the telegraph lines, thus giving to the dead, for a monument, the lightning when living he tamed.

BLACKWOOD'S EDINBURG MAGAZINE.—The June number of this valuable publication is before us. This work is re-published in this country by L. Scott & Co., of New York, and is furnished at the low price of $3,00 per year. With the July number commences a new volume, hence this is a good time for those who desire a really good substantial periodical to subscribe. Address as above.

INDIAN DEPREDATIONS.—Reports from Dacota territory states that the Yankton Indians, three thousand in number, were committing depredations along the Minnesota river. The cause is said to be dissatisfaction; that annuities now due, have not been paid by the Government.—They, therefore, intend to recover their lands and drive the whites away. They have already destroyed a number of towns and plundered an emigrant train. The settlers are concentrating at Minnesota Falls, preparatory to defensive operations.

☞ A gentleman in this place, a few days since, received a letter from a friend in Utah, dated at Fort Bridger, May 17th, in which he states that they have very pleasant weather with the exception of a snow storm occasionally, which last for two or three days. He states also that several Mormons have left Utah with the intention of coming to the States, and that all the northern settlements are abandoned and the people concentrating in the south. They are hauling off all the goods they posssibly can and are cashiering the balance. Even the new "Tabernacle" is leveled to the ground, the cut stone all buried and everything disposed in some way. How the affair will end he says no one attempts to conjecture. He considers Brigham and the leaders of the church regular Yankees, who are playing a very good trick upon the Johnny Bulls, Welch and Scotch, who compose the laboring class of the community. He states that Dr. Forry, Superintendent of Indian Affairs, has succeeded in effecting a treaty of peace between the Snakes and Ates tribes, and that they have promised to remain neutral in the present difficulty between the Government and the Mormons. He says that their last mail from the States came through in forty-seven days. Fast traveling, that.

An Exciting Trial at N. Orleans.

The trial of George W. Harby—an old and respectable citizen of New Orleans, and a veteran teacher in the public schools for over a quarter of a century—for the killing of Charles H. C. Stone, (a native of Virginia,) a young man of previously irreproachable character, and a junior member of one of the largest and most respectable mercantile houses in that city, took place on the 18th ult. The killing grew out of the charge that Stone had seduced the daughter of Harby, and then refused to marry her. The trial seems to have created intense excitement, and the court room was thronged with an anxious multitude. The defence admitted the killing, but contended that, under the circumstances, it was justifiable.

Miss Caroline M. Harby, the daughter, who had been seduced, was among the witnesses on the trial. The *Crescent* says:

She was neatly dressed, disclosing a graceful, rather small figure, and was closely veiled. After receiving the oath she took her seat in the elevated chair, still veiled. Mr. Moise told her politely that it would be necessary for her to raise her veil. She raised her heavy brown veil which hid her face, leaving a black lace veil still hanging. Her face, however, could be plainly seen. She was very pale, but very resolute looking. In reply to the questions of Mr. Durant she gave her answers in a clear and firm voice, and in language which proved her to have received the education of a lady.

Upon being asked by Mr. Durant, in a manner as decorous as the case would allow, if Stone had not seduced, and if he was not the father of her child, her firmness deserted her. She bowed over the arm of the chair and cried and sobbed bitterly. Her father also gave way, and the feeling spread among the spectators, jurors and everybody. We never saw so much silent weeping in any crowded assembly as there was on this occasion, whilst the father and daughter sobbed together. The scene lasted several minutes.

The main points of her testimony are embraced in the remarks of Mr. Durant. She swore positively to the seduction, and Stone's promise to marry her, and his subsequent refusal to comply with his promise.

The prosecution having introduced two witnesses who swore that they had had criminal intercourse with Miss Harby, and that she had asked Stone for money, she was recalled to the stand. She mounted the steps firmly, and instead of seating herself, stood up, raised her right hand, and, in a clear, loud voice, which fell with electric force upon the breathless assemblage, said:

"Before Almighty God, and by all my hopes hereafter, I do solemnly swear, that what these men have sworn about me is *false—false—false*—(stamping her foot.) *If ten thousand lives depended on it, it is all false!* I don't see how any man could come here and talk that way about me before my father, and—"

Here she feel into the chair, and gave way to a hysterical fit of weeping and sobbing. The court was fairly stunned by her vehemence, and the dramatic force of the scene. Upon recovering herself, Miss Harby stated that it was false that she had ever asked Joseph Stone for money. He had professed great sorrow for her distresses, and had offered the money to her, and insisted on her taking it. She had written him notes to come and see her, but she had never asked him for money. She never had criminal intercourse with any one but Charles Stone.

The case was submitted to the jury without argument, and in a few minutes returned a verdict of "not guilty." The result produced a scene seldom witnessed in such a place. Cheer after cheer resounded through the building, and the indignant remonstrances of the judges, and the vigorous exertions of the deputy sheriffs failed to quiet the enthusiasm.—The demonstrations were renewed outside the court room until Mr. Harby succeeded in getting away from his friends and driving off in a carriage with his daughter.

OUR NATIONAL DEBT.—On the 1st of July next, says the Washington Star, the debt of the United States will amount to about $65,000,000, including the loan of $20,000,000 recently authorized by Congress. Taking into consideration the present state of the Treasury, and the probable extent of receipts during the ensuing year, it is improbable that any payments will be made until after the fiscal year, ending July, 1859. In the meantime, however, the peaceful termination of the Mormon imbroglio, and the probable amicable adjustment of the difficulties with England, will save the country a very large expenditure, the necessity of which we apprehended up till nearly the close of the session of Congress.

DECREASE IN POPULATION.—It is mentioned as one of the incidents of the disastrous result of last year's commercial revulsion, that the New York city directory, just issued contains 4,000 names less than it contained in 1857.—This falling off indicates a much greater loss for only the heads of families and persons engaged in business as permanent residents are included in the count. It is the first year it is said, since the last war with England, that a similar result has been shown.

A PROPOSITION TO COOL THE COCHITUATE.—We learn, says the Boston *Post*, that a petition is to be presented to the city government that a ton or two of ice be put into the Beacon Hill reservoir every morning, in order that the people may be accommodated with ice water without further expense. On the Fourth of July it is proposed to throw in a small cargo of lemons and a few hogsheads of rum and sugar.

PEN AND SCISSORS.

☞ See advertisement of Room for Rent, in another column.

☞ It is stated that ten thousand dollars are spent daily in New York for strawberries.

☞ A portion of the troops originally destined for Utah will be sent to Arizonia.

☞ James Powers was executed in Washington City, on Friday, 25th ult., for murder.

☞ Casper Mantz, Esq., late Sheriff of Frederick county, Md., died last Wednesday.

☞ Henry Frisby died at Wheeling, Tuesday from drinking ice-water while overheated.

☞ Flour made from new wheat, ground at Augusta, Ga., sold in New York last week at eight dollars a barrel.

☞ That agreeable little fish, the sardine, is manufactured in large quantities, in Scotland, of sprats and little herring! What next?

☞ The London Chronicle says the Mormon agents in England have stopped emigtating from Europe during the pending difficulties.

☞ The Episcopal Convention of South Carolina has voted its bishop six months holiday and $1,200 to take it with.

☞ Jean Baptiste Deafanges and Anna Belise were executed on Friday last, at Montreal, for the murder of Catherine Provost.

☞ It is said that Chas. Dickens, who has separated from his wife, allows her $2,000 per annum.

☞ The Brooklyn City Directory for the present year contains 50,000 names, against 38,000 last year.

☞ A young man without money, among ladies is like the moon on a cloudy night—he can't shine.

☞ A respectable citizen and father of a family was lately arrested at Brussels, Belgium, for biting off a woman's tongue.

☞ A steam machine for manufacturing ice has been made by a London firm. The cost of the ice will be ten shillings a ton.

☞ New wheat from Georgia was received in New York last week, and sold for $1 45 per bushel.

☞ One hundred and fifty officers serving in India have tendered their resignation to General Sir Colin Campbell.

☞ The practice of eating horse-flesh has of late years increased considerably in the north of Germany and Denmark.

☞ A man has been recently discharged from the Connecticut State Prison, after an incarceration of 26 years, who has never seen a railroad.

☞ James McGee was executed on Friday last, at Boston, for the murder of the deputy warden, Mr. Walker, in the Prison, eighteen months since.

☞ The Texas papers contain glowing accounts of the grain crops. The prospect was that there would be the largest yield of corn ever known.

☞ The Montour Iron Company's property, at Danville, was sold at Sheriff's sale last Thursday, for $103—subject to the mortgages, which are estimated at $600,000.

☞ "Excelsior," Dan Rice's celebrated trick horse is dead. The horse fractured a limb in falling from the stairs which he had ascended in the ring.

☞ Some beautiful photographs of the moon have lately been taken in Europe, through a large telescope, and on them the mountains, hills, and valleys of our satellite are perfectly portrayed.

☞ It is currently reported that Russel & Waddell, the Government contractors for transporting the stores to Utah, have been offered half a million dollars bonus for their contract of this year.

☞ It is vain to stick your finger in the water, and pulling it out, look for a hole; and equally vain to suppose that, however large a space you occupy, the world will miss you when you die.

☞ The national convention of teachers, professors of colleges, superintendents of public schools, and other friends of education, is to be held in Cincinnati, commencing on the 11th of August next.

☞ The California papers state that there is good news from all parts of the State in relation to the prospects of the coming harvest, and every assurance of one of the greatest crops ever harvested in that State.

☞ An ingenious novelty has just been brought out on the North Pennsylvania Railroad, in the shape of a station indicator, which informs the passengers of the name of the station or place which the train may be approaching.

☞ After a struggle of twenty-five years, Ericsson has succeeded in bringing his hot-air engine into practical use. Even the Scientific American, after denouncing it as impracticable for years, has at length been compelled to admit its success.

☞ The N. Y. *Times* of the 19th states that the N. Y. Central has now reduced fare, on through passengers, to $2,40 from Buffalo to New York, which is considerably less than one cent per mile.

☞ The London *Daily News* publishes an important letter from General Jacob, showing that the attempt to hold India by the bodily power of English soldiers, without the aid of a native army, is utterly impossible.

☞ The Middletown Journal (Pa.) says: Our enterprising friends, Messrs. McCrery & Brother, are now sawing a bill of timber for Russia, to be used for building Goverment ships. Over 150,000 feet of timber has already been sawed in Middletown for that purpose.

☞ The London Court Journal says there is now little doubt, from the state of negotiations between her Majesty and Kine Leopold, of Belgium, on the subject of a family alliance, that the affair will speedily be communicated to both houses of Parliament.

☞ The largest auction sales of lands ever made in this, or perhaps in any other country, commences in Michigan on the 29th of July.—They are technically denominated "swamp lands," but three-fourths of them are probably equal to the average in the State. They will be sold in parcels of from forty to one thousand or more acres, at prices ranging from five to fifty cents per acre.

☞ The New York *Tribune* insists that the population of that city is now 900,000 souls; that Brookly contains between 300,000 and 400,000, and that the other suburbs embrace sufficient to raise the whole metropolitan population to 1,500,000; thus making New York the second city of the civilised world.

☞ The General Assembly of Presbyterians, recently in session in Chicago, has decided by a vote of 160 to 52 that divorces cannot be granted unless adultry be clearly shown, and that any one marrying any person divorced for any other cause is himself guilty of adultry in a moral view of the case.

☞ Pretty good Prices.—A gentleman who lately came through from Salt Lake City, states that at Fort Bridger salt was selling at $2.50 per per pound; bacon $5 per pound; flour $100 per sack, and not over eighty-six pounds in a sack; tobacco $1.50 for "a good chew;" whiskey $25 per gallon.

☞ Water works at Cleveland, recently constructed will supply that city with water by means of a reservoir 750 feet above the level of Lake Erie, into which the water is drawn from the latter by two immense engines, costing $150,000, and capable of forcing 318 gallons at a stroke, making ten strokes a minute.

☞ Hon. John J. Crittenden arrived at Cincinnati on Saturday, and had a handsome reception. He was escorted to the Spencer House, where he was welcomed by the Hon. Thomas Corwin. Mr. Crittenden made an eloquent response. He proceeded to Covington, Ky., the same evening, where he had another enthusiastic reception.

☞ The printing of the thirty-third and thirty-fourth Congresses have cost the government over $6,000,000. This sum would have constructed fifteen or twenty first class steam sloops-of-war, or built three hundred miles of railroad to the Pacific; yet the amount has been principally squandered in useless picture books.

☞ The Emperor Nicholas of Russia, said "the Americans were destined to become the armorers of the world!" The improvements in every class of arms which were submitted to him by our ready and enterprising inventors, during the Crimean war, elicited the admiration of military men, and led to very large orders on our American mechanics.

☞ There is a little stream which empties into the Shasta valley, California, about 20 miles west of the great butte, which possesses the singular property of incrusting everything which falls into its waters with a complete coat of stone. Flowers, leaves, grass, pine buds, and things of that sort will become completely enameled in the course of a few weeks or so, retaining in the process their natural form.

☞ At Milford, Mass., a boy, at work in one of the shoe shops in that place, recently found in an old mail bag which the proprietor of the shop had purchased to work into shoes, a letter which had been mailed at an office in Tennessee, and directed to another place in the same State, and which contained four fifty dollar bills, a twenty, a ten, a five and a three; in all, $238. This firm has purchased several thousand of these worn-out mail bags, and several other letters have been found in them.

HARD TIMES IN KANSAS.—The Kansas *Herald of Freedom* gives a discouraging view of the times in Kansas. It says:

"We pity the man who is compelled to raise money now in Kansas. We were told by a money lender the other day, that he was receiving from ten to twenty per cent. per month for the use of money, and thirty per cent. per month for discount notes. The lowest rates, on good security, for the use of money seem to range between three and five per cent. per month.—Business in all our Kansas towns is nearly suspended. Men with twenty or twenty-five thousand dollars cannot sell property at any price to realize even a few hundred dollars. Real estate can be bought at ruinous rates, persons feeling compelled to sell to realize ready money, perhaps to save their credit. Hardly any branch of business is sustaining itself."

FIREMEN'S RIOT IN PHILADELPHIA—June 29.—At midnight an alarm of fire occurred, and as the firemen were about leaving the ground, five or six pistol shots were fired by some one in the crowd, and three men were seriously wounded. Samuel Carr, a director of Shiffler Hose, who was shot in the forehead, died in a short time afterwards. William Z. Bruster, a resident of Camden, while looking on, was shot in the back; he succeeded in reaching Second Chestnut streets, when he fell and was removed to the Hospital. The Montgomery Hose Company are charged with the outrage. Last evening, as the last boat from Gloucester was approaching this city, a fight occurred. During the disturbance a young man named B. Neall, a sailmaker, was stabbed twice in the breast.—The unfortunate young man died in a few minutes. The murderer leaped overboard, and being picked up by a boat, escaped to shore.

A MONSTER MORTAR.—A monster mortar has been tried at Woolrich, England, successfully with 20 pounds of powder, though its full charge is 300 pounds. The shell is one yard in diameter, and uncharged as it was in the experiment, it tore up stones, and piled the earth as high as a small house, and filled the air within a radius of 200 yards with earth and stones, and roots of trees. The monster is compounded of wrought and cast iron, in separate pieces, tightly hooped together. At the fifth round the middle ring gave way partially, and thus interrupted the practice; but it was successfully shown that it could throw a shell weighing a ton and a half.

☞ They have found another snake in Clermont county, O. This time it was not caught in a mill pond, but in the heart of a tree. The Batavia *Sun* vouches for it:

Mr. Richey, living on Bull Skin, cut down a Mulberry tree, and split it, and in the heart of it found a black snake. The wood was sound where the snake was lying, not room enough for it to turn round. From the growth of the timber it is supposed that it had been there some fifteen years. The snake was six feet in length, blind, and had no use of itself except its head.

SEVEN YEAR FLOODS.—The western waters, says the Louisville *Journal*, were very high in '36 and '37. Seven years after in '44, and in seven years again, in '51, and then again in '58 we have a great flood. The superstitious can now exercise their talents upon the magical number *seven*. We are told that the Indians of the West held such a tradition also of a seven year flood.

A DEVIL INCARNATE.—A wretch named Arnold murdered his wife near Jessamine, Ky., last week, under circumstances of horrid brutality. She had left him for his cruel treatment, and instituted a suit for divorce and alimony against him. He watched her one day as she went with another lady to pick strawberries, and followed her,—demanding that the suit should be withdrawn. He then threatened to kill her, and drew a revolver, when the woman in company fled. Horror-stricken, she promised to live with him. He replied by telling her that she was lying, and immediately fired at her—the ball grazing her temple. She instantly sprang to him and begged for mercy. He refused. She than appealed to him to pray for her murderer. This boon was granted, and a brief time spent in prayer for her husband, children and herself. Arnold then grasped her with one arm, inexorable to all her supplications for mercy, fired at her three times, each ball taking effect in the head. The face was most frightfully disfigured by the wound, and powder from the pistol. Not content with this, the incarnate fiend mutilated her person with a knife, and then piling brush upon it, left the scene.—Meanwhile, the woman who fled told the story, and Arnold was pursued and arrested at his mother's house in the act of writing his will.

HORRIBLE CASE OF MADNESS IN A HORSE.—On Sunday evening, Mr. Barney went to drive his horses into the stable, when one, that had hitherto been very gentle, refused to enter the stable. After running her about until he was perfectly exhausted, he concluded to leave her in the yard.

About midnight the neighbors were alarmed by an awful bellowing and groaning, and coming to the yard where the mare was confined, found that she had attacked a calf in the yard, and had literally stamped it into the ground. She had also bitten one or two cows, taking as much as a pound of flesh out of one. The men now succeeded in driving her into the stable, when she commenced tearing the flesh from her own fore-leg, and stripped it completely off to the pastern-joint, when the owner, having procured a gun, put an end to the creature's misery.—*Keokuk Post, June* 16.

STARTLING WONDERS OF THE TELEGRAPH.—Should the Atlantic Telegraph be successfully completed, Europe, Asia, Africa, and America, will be brought into electric communication with each other, and a remarkable progress will have been made towards the civilized unity of the human race. From Newfoundland, there is telegraphic communication with New Orleans, distant 3,710 miles following the course of the wire, and, when the Atlantic cable is laid, direct communication can be obtained with Constantinople, thus uniting the four continents.—It is calculated that a message leaving the Turkish capital at two o'clock say on Monday afternoon, will reach New Orleans at six o'clock the same evening. The first message from Constantinople, direct, left on Sunday evening, May 2, at 11.45, and arrived in London at 8.47 in the evening of the dame day, London time, beating the sun nearly three hours.

SINGULAR PHENOMENON.—A correspondent of the Jackson (Mich.) Patriot, writing from Tomkins, in that State, says that, on the morning of the 24th of May, after a heavy rain the night previous, the ground was strewn with small fish; they were found one mile beyond Barry's gate, and extending half a mile along the plank road. There were two kinds, one about three inches in length, and appears to be the kind known here as the dog fish; the other kind are the most numerous, about two inches in length, and a species unknown here. They number from twenty to forty to the square rod of ground. They were alive when they fell, though many of them were killed in falling. Great numbers, however, fell or were carried by the running water into pools and puddles in the fields and woods, where they now may be seen swimming about lively and active.

STARVATION IN DAVENPORT, IOWA.—Some two hundred laborers, who are either out of employment, or will not work, formed themselves into a procession, in Davenport, on Friday, and marched to the office of the Mayor, and to the residences of several of the wealthiest citizens, demanding work, and declaring that they must either have work, become a charge upon the country, or starve The Mayor and others promised to do their best to devise some method for their relief. It is said that only a day or two previous a farmer applied for laborers in Davenport, and offered fifty cents a day and board, and some of these starving men refused to accept the offer.

☞ They have hot weather in Australia.—The Sumpter (S. C.) Watchman, publishes the following extract from a private letter dated Adelaide, February 18, 1858:

"I can assure you we have been nearly roasted alive; we have had ten days and nights of the hottest weather remembered for several years past. The heat at noon in the shade was 136 deg. to 146 deg., according to situation, and during the night it was never less than 94 deg. to 106 deg. in doors. The hot wind never ceased blowing, and the innumerable deaths from *coup de soleil* have been appalling in the extreme.

SINGULAR MISTAKE.—A man named Swayne, who was sentenced to the Connecticut State prison for 10 years, for aggravated assault, of which he has served some two or three years, lately petitioned the Legislature for a pardon. This the Legislature refused. The resolution rejecting the prayer of the petitioner, went to the Governor, who approved it, but in the office of the Secretary of State, a singular error occurred. A certified copy of the resolution was made out by the clerk, releasing Swayne, and he was discharged on Monday last. Whether this mistake can be corrected, and the man sent back to the State prison, is, in the opinion of the New Haven papers, a question.

☞ On the 20th ult., as Mr. John Cump and family, consisting of himself, wife and infant, and a daughter about 17 or 18 years old, were on their return home to Chambersburg, Pa., from a Dunker meeting, the daughter was instantly killed by lightning. The family was in a one horse wagon, the young lady occupying a hind seat, and it is said her clothes were literally torn into shreds. Strange as it may seem, the other occupants of the wagon escaped without sustaining any severe injury, although severely stunned. The horse attached to the wagon was prostrated by the shock, but afterwards recovered.

☞ A young lady in Cincinnati, Miss Fanny Hall, has recovered damages of $3,500 against one Vandergriff, and other parties, for false imprisonment. She was confined for six months in the Lunatic Asylum, thro' the instrumentality of the officers of the church to which she belonged, but was proved to be sane, and was then discharged. The suit has been tried three times. The first jury gave her a verdict of $10,000. A new trial was had, and the jury failed to agree. The third time she was again successful, and this ends the case.

FRAUDS ON THE POST-OFFICE.—Since Monday morning last, over forty suspicious packages, purporting each to be "one newspaper," have been overhauled by the clerks at our post-office here, and found to contain contraband matter. Collar patterns, Indian moccasins, baby dresses, gloves, daguerrectypes, letters and every conceivable thing which could be wrapped up in a paper so as to avoid letter postage. The postage assessed on these parcels amounted to about fifty dollars.—*St. Paul Minnesotian.*

A PICTURE TO BE SEEN TO BE APPRECIATED.—Holding office in Utah is no joke, and not very dignified, if this passage from the correspondence of the N. Y. Tribune is as true as it is graphic:

"I have seen the Governor of the Territory walking gravely up the road toward his tents, carrying a piece of stove fuel under each arm; I have seen the Chief Justice cutting the turf for a chimney, and punching the oxen which were drawing logs to build his cabin; the Secretary of State splitting wood, and the United States Attorney and Marshal plastering the walls of their hut with mud. Yesterday I saw one United States Commissioner, stripped to the buff, and riding on horseback, piloting a wagon through a ford across the South Platte, which he had discovered by wading, while the other Commissioner, having accompliished the passage, sat upon a corn sack on the opposite bank, mending a rent in his pantaloons. These pictures may convince you that the civil officers, at least, in connection with the Utah expedition, are not sinecures."

THE CRUISE OF THE ARCTIC.—The little old Arctic, says the Albany Evening Journal, has turned out as we expected it would. She was sent to the Gulf, it will be remembered, to "blow the British fleet out of water," (with two guns and a howitzer.) The first day out, she solled so heavily that a corporal's guard of marines had to hold the howitzer to keep it from pitching overboard. On the seventh day, she broke her engine. On the eighth, she sprung a leak. On the ninth, set all hands at the pumps. Succeeded in stopping the leak, she crept on at canal boat speed—two and a half miles an hour. She did not see the British fleet—did'nt see the Styx—did'nt see anything, in fact, except when some merchantmen overtook and sailed past her. Finally after a voyage of eighteen days, (more than it takes to go to Europe,) she reached Havana. Then it was found that her boilers were out of order, and she started back to Key West for repairs. It is hardly necessary to add that she did not "blow the British fleet out of water."

THE NEXT PRESIDENT.—The following gentlemen have already been named in connection with the next Presidency: Hon. Howell Cobb, Senator Bright, Senator Hunter of Va., Speaker Orr, John Slidell, Senator Brown of Miss., Postmaster General A. V. Brown, Jacob Thompson, D. S. Dickinson, John Letcher, Vice President Breckinridge, Stephen A. Douglas, R. C. Winthrop, Rob't J. Walker, Gov. Wise, Crittenden, Bell, and Fillmore, Wm. L. Yancey, Seward, Banks, Chase, Senator Trumbull of Ill., G. A. Grow of Pa., Judge McLean, Mayor Swan of Baltimore, George Cadwallader, Humphrey Marshall, Sam Houston and Simon Cameron.

A MAN ATTACKED BY WOLVES.—The Joliet (Ill.) *Signal* says:—A man, whose name we have not learned was attacked by a pack of wolves, near the foot of Lake Joliet, in this county, a few days since. He was severely injured, and, it is said, would have been devoured by the ravenous beasts, had not a herdsman in the employ of Mr. C. Smith, who heard his cries, came to his relief. The wolves have been very numerous in that vicinity for several months past. They are of the large gray species.

TO BE EXCLUDED.—Chinese and negroes are hereafter to be excluded from California. By a law passed recently, whoever, after the last day of September next, shall introduce any Chinese or Mongolians into the State, shall be punished by a fine from four to six hundred dollars, or by imprisonment, or by both fine and imprisonment, at the discretion of the Courts. The act has been printed in the Chinese language, and copies of it sent to China for distribution.

☞ Frogs are now a regularly quoted article in the New York market. The last report reads "frogs are in demand, and sell for one dollar per dozen. These are fast becoming a favorite dish, and the demand for them is becoming greater." The health warden, Wednesday, seised on two boxes, containing at least five hundred each, in a decaying condition, and sent them to the dead-animal contractor's dock.

☞ A serious accident occurred on Thursday last, at Wellsville, N. Y., while the Masons were celebrating St. John's Day. About 700 persons had entered a large hall, where dinner was being prepared, when about half of the floor gave way, precipitating about 300 to the floor beneath. At the same instant the floor above came down, with a quantity of cutlery, fanning mills, lumber, &c., burying the mass of people in ruins. Fortunately no one was killed, but from 40 to 50 were wounded, about 20 seriously.

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is one of the best Purgative and Liver Medicines now before the public, that acts as a *Cathartic*, easier, milder, and more effectual than any other medicine known. It is not only a *Cathartic*, but a *Liver* remedy, acting first on the *Liver* to eject its morbid matter, then on the stomach and bowels to carry off that matter, thus accomplishing two purposes effectually, without any of the painful feelings experienced in the operations of most *Cathartics*. It strengthens the system at the same time that it purges it; and when taken daily in moderate doses, will strengthen and build it up with unusual rapidity.

The LIVER is one of the principal regulators of the human body; and when it performs its functions well, the powers of the system are fully developed. The *stomach* is almost entirely dependent on the healthy action of the *Liver* for the proper performance of its functions; when the stomach is at fault, the bowels are at fault, and the whole system suffers in consequence of one organ—the LIVER—having ceased to do its duty. For the diseases of that organ, one of the proprietors has made it his study, in a practice of more than twenty years, to find counteract the many deranglements to which it is liable.

To prove that this remedy is at last found, any person troubled with LIVER COMPLAINT, in any of its forms, has but to try a bottle, and conviction is certain.

These Gums remove all morbid or bad matter from the system, supplying in their place a healthy flow of bile, invigorating the stomach, causing food to digest well, PURIFYING THE BLOOD, giving tone and health to the whole machinery, removing the cause of the disease—effecting a radical cure.

BILIOUS ATTACKS are CURED, AND, WHAT IS BETTER, PREVENTED, by the occasional use of the LIVER INVIGORATOR.

One dose after eating is sufficient to relieve the stomach and prevent the food from rising and souring.

Only one dose taken before retiring, prevents Nightmare.

Only one dose taken at night, loosens the bowels, ela gently, and cures Costiveness.

One dose taken after each meal will cure Dyspepsia.

☞ One dose of two teaspoonful will always relieve SICK HEADACHE.

One bottle taken for female obstruction removes the cause of the disease, and makes a perfect cure.

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One dose often repeated is a sure cure for CHOLERA MORBUS, and a preventive of CHOLERA.

☞ Only one bottle is needed to throw out of the system the effects of mediacine after a long sickness.

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One dose taken a short time before eating gives vigor to the appetite, and makes the food digest well.

One dose often repeated cures Chronic Diarrhœa in its worst forms, while Summer and Bowel complaints almost to the first dose.

One or two doses cures attacks caused by WORMS in children: there is no surer, safer, or speedier remedy in the world, as it never fails.

A few bottles cures Dropsy by exciting the absorbents.

We take pleasure in recommending the medicine as a preventive for Fever and Ague, Chill Fever, and all Fevers of a Bilious type, and thousands are willing to testify to its wonderful virtues.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

GRAND CELEBRATION OF THE 83d. ANNIVERSARY OF INDEPENDENCE DAY, TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, JULY 5, 1858.

From the arrangements that have been made, we anticipate that Monday next will be a proud day for the citizens of Altoona and vicinity.—Neither trouble nor expense have been spared by the Committee of Arrangements, to complete a programme which cannot be surpassed in attractiveness, by that got up in any town in the country. Everything which can in the least add to the pleasure or comfort of those who shall participate in the festivities of that occasion has been provided. The Altoona Brass Band, by the way one of the best bands in the country, has kindly consented to discourse music on that occasion, free of charge. The following is the letter accepting the invitation, addressed to the Secretary of the Committee of Arrangements:

Altoona, June 24, 1858.

Dr. C. J. Hirst:—Inasmuch as the Pic-nic that is to be given on *Monday, July 5th*, is intended for the public observance of the Anniversary of our National Independence, by the citizens of Altoona; also, as you have extended an invitation to the members of the Altoona Brass Band, I therefore have the pleasure of informing you that we have accepted the invitation and offer our services, gratuitously, on the occasion above mentioned.

Yours Respectfully,
A. CLABAUGH.
Pres't Altoona Brass Band.

We would suggest to those of our citizens who have not yet purchased honorary memberships in the Band, that they should do so immediately. The money thus obtained is to be appropriated to the purchase of new instruments, and we think the offer to perform gratuitously, so much labor as will be required of the members on that day, deserve remuneration at the hands of our citizens. All must admit that without the Band, the arrangement would be incomplete, therefore let it be well supported.

The Military display will add much to the interest of the occasion, and give to it that martial bearing which characterizes us as a nation. We cannot say whether there will be any companies from a distance, but we have two good ones at home, each numbering members enough to make a handsome escort.

The prettiest part of the procession, we imagine, will be the troup of thirty-two little girls, representing the different States, dressed in white, adorned with wreathes and wearing a blue sash, to which will be attached the name and coat of arms of the State which each one represents.

Workmen are now engaged in erecting swings, one of which will be superior to anything of the kind in the country.

The display of Fireworks in the evening will be magnificent, if we may judge from the amount to be expended in the purchase of material.

The following proceedings of the Committee will convey a better idea of the manner in which the day is to be celebrated, than we can furnish:—

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE.

Further Particulars relative to the Celebration of the coming Fourth of July.

For various reasons, the Committee of Arrangements reviewed the adjacent groves and reconsidered the selection made last week, and finally decided upon celebrating the day in question, in a Grove of Mr. McCartney's, near Mr. Peter Miller's, about a quarter of a mile west of town.

The shade is good, the ground elevated and easy of access by a good public road. There will be a good supply of water and ice on the ground.

The Committee desire especial care and attention on the part of all in regard to the regulations for dinner, which are as follows:—Pack into baskets, tubs, &c., all you desire to eat and drink—except water—and send, *plainly labeled with the name of the owner*, to one of the places hereafter named, by 8 o'clock A. M., to be placed on wagons and hauled, with all possible care, to the grounds. Each family or association will have entire control of its own provisions and place of eating the same.

Two Ice Cream and Lemonade Stands, and one for Spruce Beer and Mead, will be appropriately situated on the ground, for the accommodation of those who wish to enjoy these luxuries.

A procession will be formed at 9 o'clock A. M., in front of the Masonic Temple, and thence proceed to the Grove, escorted by the "Altoona Brass Band," the "Altoona Guards," and the "Logan Rifle Rangers."

The place fixed upon for the citizens of East Ward, to deposite their provisions, is the basement of the United Brethren Church; and that for those of the North and West Wards, the basement of the Presbyterian Church. Persons from the country can place their baskets, &c., at either of the places just named, or on the ground, if more convenient.

A beautiful display of Fire Works may be expected on the upper side of East Altoona at 8½ P. M.

The Committee beg leave to remind our citizens that the magnificence of this very interesting and delightful scenery will be in a measure proportionate to their liberality. Those who have moved at all in the matter have done nobly. And especially is much credit due to most of the canvassers for the energy and perseverance they have evinced. But unfortunately there are many of our citizens whose names are not registered among the contributors at all.

By the number of subscribers up to this date it appears that there is but one out of every seven voters in our Borough who is willing to give *any thing* towards celebrating the day that gave us birth as a free people. However, we are not disposed to find fault, as it is our individual, as well our national liberties we are about to commemorate. The Committee is pleased with its present prospects, and feel no hesitancy in predicting (with favorable weather) the largest and most creditable "Pic Nic" ever witnessed in Blair county.

Come one and all and we will welcome you.

A number of distinguished persons have been invited and will be present on that day.

The following programme will exhibit the order to be observed during the day:

ORDER OF THE DAY.

Marshal.—Thos. Burchinell, assisted by the members of the Committee.

Order 1st.—Procession to be formed on Annie street, in front of the Masonic Temple, at 9 o'clock, A. M., to proceed to the grove, escorted by the military and Altoona Brass Band.

2nd.—Prayer by Rev. A. B. Clark, on observance of order at the grove.

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3d.—Reading of the Declaration of Independence by Rev. D. Speck.

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4th.—Oration, by L. W. Hall, Esq., on the Past, Present and Probable Future of the United States.

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Dinner.—At which short speeches, toasts, &c., will be in order.

AFTERNOON.

After dinner, swinging, promenading, &c., will be in order. Persons will be privileged to amuse themselves in whatever way they may seem inclined.

At 5 o'clock the procession will re-form, preparatory to returning to town.

EVENING ENTERTAINMENT.

A grand display of fire-works will come off on the hill above East Altoona, commencing at 8½ o'clock, P. M.

C. J. HIRST,
Sec'y Com. of Arrangement.

Stabbing Affray.—On Friday evening last, as Mr. Jacob Kirsel was proceeding homeward from his work after six o'clock, he was met upon the sidewalk, near the residence of Mr. John Allison, in North Ward, by a German, named Frederick Johnson and Laura his wife, who made an attack upon him with a large knife, inflicting several severe wounds. One cut detached the lower third of the pavilion of the left ear and penetrated some distance. Two cuts were inflicted in the large muscle of the left shoulder from 1½ to 2 inches in depth. Another cut, only skin deep, was made in the arm-pit of the left side, which might readily have caused fatal hermorrhage, had it been a little deeper. Drs. Hist & Good were called in and dressed the wounds and the injured man is now doing as well as could be expected.

Information of the affair having been given to our Constable, he immediately proceeded to the residence of the German and arrested him and conveyed him before Esquire Good. As sufficient proof could not be obtained that evening, the Squire postponed a hearing of the case until 8 o'clock on Saturday morning, and commanded that the prisoner be confined in the "Lock-up" until that time. At the appointed time he was brought up again for a hearing, and sufficient evidence having been aduced, he, and his wife, who was also present, were ordered to be committed to jail to await their trial at the next term of Court, on a charge of assault and battery with intent to kill.

There are different versions of the misunderstanding between the parties, which led to this unfortunate fracas, but we will not rehearse them, suffice it to say, that if the defense set up by the woman be credited, it will serve to mitigate, in a great degree, the enormity of the offence. As the matter will undergo a legal investigation which will bring out the facts in the case, we forbear any further remarks in reference to it.

Serious Accident.—On Wednesday morning, of last week, Mr. Williams, engineer on the Express Train Eastward, while on his way from Pittsburg to this place, stepped out upon the front part of his locomotive to oil some part of the machinery, to accomplish which, he had to get upon his knees and allow his feet to project over the side of the locomotive. While in this position, he came in contact with the platform at Cambria Station, crushing his leg between the locomotive and platform, and producing a compound comminuted fracture of the middle third of the leg, with great larceration of the muscles, arteries and veins. The injured man was brought to this place and the leg immediately set by Dr. J. T. Christy, who has every hope of saving it. We cannot conceive how the man escaped instant death. Had he fallen from his engine at the time he received the injury, he would undoubtedly have been crushed beneath the train.

Important to Newspaper Publishers.—We have noticed an article going the rounds of the Press, during the past six months, stating that the Postmaster General had recently decided that "if Postmasters fail to notify newspaper publisher, *within five weeks*, that their publications are not taken from the Post-office, they can be held responsible for the subscription which may be due upon the same." This is an unfounded decision. Our gentlemanly and obliging Postmaster, last week, was induced to inquire of the Department as to the truth of it—and was informed that no such decision had been made by the Postmaster General—but that the old regulation upon the subject was still in force. For the benefit of all interested, we publish the old regulation referred to:

"Whenever any printed matter of any description, received during one quarter of the fiscal year shall have remained in the office without being called for during the whole of any succeeding quarter, the post-master at such office will give such notice to the publisher; and if he fail to pay the postage thereon within a reasonable time, will sell the same."

Sunday School Pic-Nic.—The Scholars and Teachers connected with the Methodist Sanday School, of this place, met at the school room at 8 o'clock this (Wednesday) morning, and proceeded to Beales' Woods, to enjoy a day of recreation and amusement. We cannot give an extended notice of the affair, as we have not time to be in attendance, but presume from the appearance of the day, that they will enjoyed a pleasant time of it.

States Union Hotel.—It will be observed, by reference to the card of this popular Hotel, which appears in another column, that the proprietor has reduced the fare from $1,50 to $1,-25 per day. Mr. Hinkle keeps one of the best houses for country people to stop at that can be found in Philadelphia. We do not mean by this that it is not good enough for city people, but that he pays the same attention to all, and endeavors to make every one comfortable. We have frequently recommended his house through our columns, to those of our citizens who may be visiting the city, for the reason that we know it to be a desirable stopping place, and feeling conscious that if they take our advice they will not regret it. We hope this reduction in the price of fare may be the means of securing to the States Union a fresh supply of customers.

Death from a Snake Bite.—A little boy, aged three years, son of Mr. Martin Morgan, who resides on the Brush Mountain, some three miles from Hollidaysburg, came to his death from the bite of a copperhead, which occurred on Friday last. The little son was in the field at the time of the sad occurrence took place.—The snake bit the boy on one of its legs, the poison at once spreading through the body of the little innocent, producing death within twenty-four hours after it was done. At this season of the year parents should be careful not to permit their children to go into the woods or fields, as great risks are run.—*Blair Co. Whig*

Music School.—In another column will be found the card of Prof. Lower, a scientific musician and experienced teacher. He comes well recommended by influential persons of Chambersburg and both the Jefferson College and Female Institute, of that place; Princeton, N. J.; Huntingdon; Williamsburg, and other places where he has been engaged in teaching. As this is a very desirable branch of education in which children should be instructed, we hope our citizens will give the Prof. sufficient encouragement to open a school in this place.

Fettinger has Returned.—Yes-sir-ee!—Fet is on hand with a large stock of fire-works, flags, banners, &c., for the 4th of July, together with any quantity of nic-nacs, toys, gum balls, etc. Those in want of anything in his line should call upon him immediately that they may have choice of the stock, as it is not likely it will remain long. He has also laid in a fresh supply of stationary and all articles heretofore kept on hand.

Gift Distribution.—By reference to our advertising columns, it will be seen that a committee has been appointed to make distribution of the property of the El Dorado Gift Association, and that Thursday, the 12th of August next, has been fixed as the day. Those who desire to secure an interest in the Association should purchase a ticket at once, and those who hold shares should be on had to receive their property.

Change of Time.—On Monday next, July 5th, a slight change will be made in the running of some of the Trains on the Pennsylvania Railroad. The Mail Train Eastward, now arriving 12.10 P. M. will arrive at 11.30 A. M. and leave at 11.50. The time of the same train, Westward, will be half an hour earlier.

Accident.—A little boy seven years old, son of Mr. James H. Bell, of this place, fell from a back window of his residence on Sunday evening last, a distance of fourteen feet, and was seriously injured. The impression of his father is, that he was raising the window at the time and got overbalanced.—*Blair Co. Whig.*

Religious.—Rev. J. Potter, P. E., will preach in the U. B. Church, next Sabbath 4th of July, at ten o'clock in the morning and six in the evening.

Coloring Fluids for the Hair are Dangerous.—Professor Wood's Hair Tonic restores the color, not by the nitrate of silver process, but by a restoration of the healthy functions upon which the original and natural color of the hair and its moisture, its gloss, its life, and consequently its original beauty depended.—Professor Wood, at the age of thirty-seven years, was as gray as a man of eighty, and his hair was dry, thin and dead. Now he has not a single grey look upon his crown, nor is his hair thin or dry, but soft, pliable and moist as that of a child of five years. This preparation acts upon the roots, for after an application, that portion of the hair nearest the scalp is found restored to the original color, whatever it was, while the ends of the hair are gray. Try Wood's Hair Tonic, and do not apply any other *till* after you have this. With this resolution you will never have occasion to use a hair dye.

Caution.—Beware of worthless imitations, as several are already in the market, called by different names. Use none unless the word (Professor Wood's Hair Restorative, Depot St. Louis, Mo., and New York,) are blown in the bottle. Sold by all Druggists and Patent Medicine Dealers. Also by all Fancy and Toilet goods dealers in the United States and Canadas. See advertisement.

☞ Swan & Co's Lottery Commissioners Endorsed by the Mayor and Postmaster of Augusta, and an Ex-U. S. Senator of Georgia.

A CARD

From the Commissioners, and Certificates from the Mayor and others of the City of Augusta:

Augusta, Richmond County, Georgia:

This is to certify that we *have* superintended the drawings of the Sparta Academy Lottery, Samuel Swan & Co., managers at Augusta, Ga., from the commencement of its drawings, and *still* continue to superintend the same. Each drawing is solely and exclusively under our control, and we can assure the public that the managers are men of honor, respectability and fair dealing, and everything connected with the entire business is carried on with the most scrupulous and exact integrity.

LEON P. DUGAS,
FREDERIC C. BARBER,
Commissioners of Sparta Academy Lottery.
Augusta, Ga., June 7th, 1858.

Augusta, Ga., June 7, 1858.

From long personal acquaintance with Leon P. Dugas and Frederic C. Barber, we take great pleasure in certifying that they are men of the highest *integrity* and *probity*, and in this community are esteemed and regarded as highly honorable and worthy citizens.

Hon. B. CONLEY,
Mayor of the City of Augusta.
JAMES M. SMYTHE, Esq.,
Postmaster of the City of Augusta.
Hon. JOHN P. KING,
Formerly U. S. Senator.

The Panic—More Failures.—The panic in New York seems to be on the increase. In this city everything goes on smoothly, and the only failures we have heard of were the failures to furnish good fits made by some inferior clothing establishments. There is no such difficulty to be encountered by those who patronize the Brown Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill & Wilson, Nos. 603 and 605 Chestnut street, above sixth. Gentlemen and Youths never fail to procure capital fits at this popular establishment.

The Best Cough Medicine.—One of the very best Cough Medicines to be found anywhere, is Dr. Keyser's Pectoral Syrup, sold by G. W. Kessler, at 50 cents per bottle.

☞ See advertisement of Dr. Sandford's LIVER INVIGORATOR in another column.

THE GREAT ENGLISH REMEDY.

SIR JAMES CLARKE'S
CELEBRATED FEMAE PILLS.

Prepared from a prescription of Sir J. Clarke, M. D., Physician Extraordinary to the Queen.

This invaluable medicine is unfailing in the cure of all those painful and delicate diseases to which the female constitution is subject. It moderates all excess and removes all obstructions, and a speedy cure may be relied on.

TO MARRIED LADIES

it is peculiarly suited. It will, in a short time, bring on the monthly period with regularity.

Each bottle, price one dollar, bears the Government Stamp of Great Britain, to prevent counterfeits.

CAUTION.

These Pills should not be taken by females during the first three months of Pregnancy, as they are sure to bring on Miscarriage, but at any other time they are safe.

In all cases of Nervous and Spinal Affections, Pain in the Back and Limbs, Fatigue on slight exertion, Palpitation of the Heart, Hysterics and Whites, these Pills will effect a cure when all other means have failed, and although a powerful remedy, do not contain iron, calomel, antimony, or anything hurtful to the constitution.

Full directions in the pamphlet around each package, which should be carefully preserved.

Sole Agent for the United States and Canada,
JOB MOSES, (late I. C. Baldwin & Co.,)
Rochester, N. Y.

N. B.—$1.00 and 6 postage stamps enclosed to any authorized Agent, will insure a bottle, containing 50 Pills, by return mail.

B. L. Fahnestock, Pittsburg, Wholesale Agents; also, for sale by all Druggists. [June 3, 1858.-1y.

ALTOONA MARKETS.

CORRECTED WEEKLY BY J. & J. LOWTHER.

Flour—Superfine,	₩ bbl.	$4,75
" Extra,	₩ "	$5,00
Corn Meal,	₩ cwt.	1,75
Potatoes,	₩ bush.	75
Dry Apples,	₩ "	1,75
Butter,	₩ lb	20
Lard,	₩ "	14
Hams,	₩ "	12
Shoulders,	₩ "	10
Side,	₩ "	12
Eggs,	₩ doz.	10

M'LAIN & LEHR'S FLOUR MARKET.

M'Lain & Lehr sell their Flour at the following rates:—

White Wheat Flour, Extra Family,	₩ bbl.	$5,75
" " " Superfine,	"	$4,87½@5.00
" " Superfine,	"	4,75

H. LEHR'S FLOUR MARKET.

Extra Family Flour,	₩ bbl.	$
Superfine Extra, best quality,	"	5 25
" " Brush Creek,	"	5 00
Superfine,	"	4 75

MARRIED.

On the 24th ult., by Rev. S. A. Wilson, Mr. CHARLES STUDT, of Cambria county, to Miss BARBARA STINE, of Blair county, Pa.

On the 21st ult., by the Rev. Mr. Harbaugh, Mr. H. FETTINGER, of this place, to Miss KATE NIXDORFF, of Lancaster, Pa.

On the 20th ult., by the Rev. O. O. McLean, Mr. THOS. BURCHINELL, of this place, to Miss LAVINA CRESSWELL, of Huntingdon, Pa.

FOR RENT.—THE ROOM NEXT door to the *Tribune* Office, formerly occupied by T. Elway, is for rent. It is suitable for almost any kind of business. Apply at this office. [July 1, 1858.

PRIVATE SALE.—THE SUBSCRIBER has on hand a few articles of Household Property, among which are a couple of excellent STOVES, which he will dispose of cheap for cash. The articles can be seen at J. & J. Lowther's Store.
July 1, 1858.-tf WM. McDOWELL.

FARE REDUCED.
STATES UNION HOTEL
606 and 608 Market Street,
ABOVE SIXTH,
PHILADEDPHIA.
Terms—$1 25 Per Day.
G. W. HINKLE, Proprietor.
July 1, 1858.-4m.

PURE CATAWBA BRANDY, FOR MEDICINAL PURPOSES.

As this article is manufactured from the PURE JUICE of the CATAWBA GRAPE, cultivated in the vineyards of the Great West, it has a special claim to our notice.

For medicinal purposes, this Brandy has no rival and has long been needed to supercede the poisonous compounds sold under the name of Brandy. As a beverage, the pure article is altogether superior, and a sovereign remedy for Dyspepsia, Flatulency, Low Spirits, Languor, General Debility, etc. For sale at
A. ROUSH'S DRUG STORE.
Altoona, July 1, 1858.-tf

$25 REWARD WILL BE PAID for information that will lead to the detection of the person or persons who maliciously defaced the Tomb Stones in the Altoona Fairview Cemetery. It is the determination of the Executive Committee to ferret out, if possible, all offenders on the property or premises of the Cemetery, and punish all who are convicted of such, with the very utmost rigor of the law. This is therefore to caution all persons visiting the Cemetry how they shall act.
By order of the Executive Committee.
Altoona, June 25, 1858.-3w G. W. PATTON, Sec'y.

MUSIC.—J. LANEY LOWER, Professor of VOCAL MUSIC, would repeat the notice previously given in the several Churches and Schools, that he is about to form a class of children for the purpose of teaching them Vocal Music. Parents who wish to have their children instructed will please have them attend the meetings of the Class at the Presbyterian Lecture Room, on Wednesday and Friday evenings.

Prof. LOWER will also instruct Choirs and Adults; and individuals on the Guitar.

He has had 12 years experience in teaching.

REFERENCES:
Rev. A. B. Clark, Pastor Presbyterian Church.
Rev. S. A. Wilson, Pastor M. E. Church.
Rev. D. Speck, Pastor United Brethren Church.
Geo. W. Patton, Esq.
John Shoemaker, Esq.

N. B. The Class is in no respect denominational or sectarian. [July 1, 1858.

ALTOONA GIFT ASSOCIATION!
POSITIVELY NO POSTPONEMENT.
GOOD NEWS.
The Committee appointed to Distribute the Property of the El Dorado Gift Association.
THE DISTRIBUTION NEAR AT HAND.

At a meeting of the shareholders in the above Association, held on the 19th of June, 1858, a Committee of five disinterested persons was chosen to distribute the property, viz.:
JOHN ALLISON, Esq., JOHN TROUT, ANDREW GREEN, JOHN COLEMAN, Jr., DAVID IRONS.

The above committee is composed of men of good standing in society, in whom shareholders can place implict confidence, and feel assured that they will receive justice at their hands.

COMMITTEE'S CIRCULAR.

We, the undersigned, having been chosen a Committee to distribute the Gifts of the above Association, beg leave to inform the shareholders and all interested, that we have fixed THURSDAY, the 12th day of AUGUST, 1858, as the day on which the distribution will positively take place. All Agents are requested to make a full return of all moneys, silk, and Tickets in their hands, *on or before the 1st day of August*, 1858.
JOHN ALLISON,
ANDREW GREEN,
JOHN TROUT,
JOHN COLEMAN, Jr.,
DAVID IRONS.

The undersigned begs leave to state that the reason why the distribution did not take place in April, as advertised, was the failure of three-fourths of the Agents to make returns. There will be no postponement from the above, whether the returns are all made or not. Agents will therefore please attend to this notice immediately.
July 1, 1858.-td JOSEPH MOIST, Agent.

LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING in the Post Office at Altoona, Pa., July 1st, 1858:

Brobst, Rev S H
Barns, Honora
Boulton, Alex
Banks, Joseph
Byrne, Jos
Barbour Wm T
Baul, Charles
Cowen, E L
Care, Peter
Cuchigniani Guiseppe
Counally, Wm.
Chub, Jacob
Cherry, John Sr
Dietrich, T
Daily, Ball
Dunn, Thos
Dysert, Jos
Davis, Robert
Done, J T
Davis, George
Furry, Kate L 3
Hunter, D W
Hoppner, Miss
Hawk, Wm S
Kella, W B
Krauch, J O
Kern, S M & Bro
Lemon & Bailey
Leonard, Pat'k
Mathew V
Miller, Joseph
Mills, Jesse
Mauley, David
Myers, Isabella
McHugh, John
McClelland, J H
McCauly, E
McGown, Serah
McCormick, David
O'Keson, Daniel 3
Peirce, J Mary
Patton, James
Rick, Geo 2
Richie, George
Rhodes, Daniel
Saylor, Isaac
Schroder, Rev Charles
Satterfield, W A B
Shinder, Mary
Swanger, David
Smith, John
Timmins, Helen 2
Taylor, Charles
Turnalman, Adam
Timmins, Margaret
Willis, Richard
Washington, Geo 3
West, Jacob 3
Wardell, James
Wilson, Jacob
Young, John
Foreign.
Ferguson, Wm C
Farrell, Thomas
Hickey, Patrick

Persons calling for Letters on this List will please say they are advertised.
July 1, 1858. JOHN SHOEMAKER, P. M.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters of Administration on the estate of Archibald McCachran, late of Altoona, Blair county, dec'd, have been granted by the Register, &c., to the undersigned, residing in said county. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment; and those having claims against it will present them duly authenticated for settlement.
JOHN TROUT,
JOHN J. BURKHOLDER,
July 1, 1858.-6t *Adm'rs.*

A BEAUTIFUL ASSORTMENT OF PERFUMERY, such as
EXTRACTS FOR THE HANDKERCHIEF, Pomatums, Hair Oils, Colognes, imported and domestic; Oriental Drops, Cosmetics, Frangipanni Sachets, Toilet Soaps, Hair Brushes, Tooth Brushes, Dressing Combs, Pocket Combs, Purses, Bay Leaf Water, etc., etc., etc.
JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE LOW AT
June 18, 1858.-tf A. ROUSH'S.

OPERA CIGARS!
THREE BELLES,
NEPTUNES,
FORTALIZAS,
LA ROSAS,
LA ABULAS,
For sale by *A. ROUSH, Druggist.*
June 24, 1858.-tf

SODA WATER! SODA WATER!
THIS PLEASANT AND AGREEABLE BEVERAGE
ALWAYS ON DRAUGHT
AT ROUSH'S DRUG STORE,
Virginia Street, above the Lutheran Church.
June 24, 1858.-tf

CONCENTRATED LYE, FOR MAKING Soft Soap, and Soap Powder for Washing, one pound equal to six of common Soap; Castile Soap, Palm Soap, Chemical Soap, etc., on hand and for sale at
June 10, 1858.-tf] A. ROUSH'S.

SOLUTION OF CITRATE OF MAGNESIA—a cooling Cathartic, mild in its operation and agreeable to the taste, prepared and for sale by
June 24, 1858.-tf A. ROUSH, *Druggist.*

CAMPHENE, BURNING FLUID, Linseed Oil, Spirits of Turpentine, White Lead and Alcohol, for sale cheap at A. ROUSH'S.

THE GREAT BEAUTIFIER! SO Long unsuccessfully sought,
FOUND AT LAST!

FOR IT RESTORES PERMANENTLY GRAY HAIR TO its original color; covers luxuriantly the bald head; removes all dandruff, itching and all scrofula, scald head and all eruptions; makes the hair soft, healthy and glossy; and will preserve it to any imaginable age; removes, as if by magic, all blotches, &c., from the face and cures all neuralgia and nervous headache. See circular and the following:

Dover, N. H., Feb. 2d, 1857.

Prof. O. J. Wood & Co.—Gents: Within a few days we have received so many orders and calls for Prof. O. J. Wood's Hair Restorative, that to-day we were compelled to send to Boston for a quantity, (the 6 dozen you forwarded all being sold,) while we might order a quantity from you. *Every bottle we have sold seems to have produced three or four new customers* and the approbation, and patronage it receives from the most substantial and worthy citizens of our vicinity, fully convince us that it is A MOST VALUABLE PREPARATION.

Send us as soon as may be one gross of $1 size; and one dozen $2 size; and believe us yours very respectfully.
(Signed) DANIEL LATHORP & Co.

Hickory Grove, St. Charles Co., Mo., Nov. 19, 1856.

Prof. O. J. Wood—Dear Sir: Some time last summer we were induced to use some of your Hair Restorative, and its effects were so wonderful, we feel it our duty to you and the afflicted, to report it.

Our little son's head for some time had been perfectly covered with sores, and some called it scald head. The hair almost entirely came off in consequence, when a friend, seeings his sufferings, advised us to use your Restorative, we did so with little hope of success, but, to our surprise, and that of all our friends, a very few applications removed the disease entirely, and a new and luxurient crop of hair soon started out, and we can now say that our boy has as healthy a scalp, and as luxurient a crop of hair as any other child. We can therefore, and do hereby recommend your Restorative, as a perfect remedy for all diseases of the scalp and hair. We are, yours respectfully,
GEORGE W. HIGGINBOTHAM,
SARAH A. HIGGINBOTHAM.

Gardiner, Maine, June 22, 1855.

Prof. O. J. Wood—Dear Sir: I have used two bottles of Professor Wood's Hair Restorative, and can truly say it is the greatest discovery of the age for restoring and changing the Hair. Before using it I was a man of seventy. My Hair has now attained its original color. You can recommend it to the world without the least fear, as my case was one of the worst kind.
Yours Respectfully,
DANIEL N. MURPHY.

O. J. Wood & Co., Proprietors 312 Broadway, New York, (in the great N. Y. Wire Railing Establishment,) and 114 Market St., St. Louis, Mo.

For sale by G. W. KESSLER, Altoona, and by all good Druggists. [June 3, 1858-1y.

POSITIVE INFORMATION!—THE undersigned having perfected their Spring Stock, now offer to the public the LARGEST LOT OF GROCERIES ever presented in the town of Altoona.

Our object in publishing this card is to present the following facts:

1st. The recent hard times have very much reduced the price of Groceries in the city, especially to cash buyers.
2d. We bought these Groceries in large lots, many of them from first hands.
3d. We bought them entirely for cash.
4th. We sell for ready pay.
5th. We keep our stock full by weekly receipts.
6th. We are determined to keep up the credit of our house.
7th. We sell more GROCERIES than any other store in Blair county, at less per cent.
8th. We sell cheaper than any other store in the county.

A continuation of patronage is respectfully solicited.
Altoona, June 10, 1858. McLANE & LEHR.

LIME! LIME! LIME!—Duncansville Lime Kilns, near Hollidaysburg, Pa.

The subscriber has now in operation, four large Lime Kilns, producing daily large quantities of the
BEST QUALITY OF WHITE LIME.

He is prepared to fill all orders, from 1 bushel to ten thousand bushels, at the lowest rates.

☞ Lime delivered at any point on the Pennsylvania Rail Road; also, at Altoona, or any point in the surrounding country, by wagon, or at the Kiln. Address
JAMES FUNK,
June 17-6m] *Duncansville, Blair Co. Pa.*

BLAIR COUNTY DAGUERREAN ROOMS.—Mr. G. W. FISHER, the Hollidaysburg Artist, begs leave to inform our readers that he is prepared to take
Photographs of deceased persons,
from Daguerreotypes, at the shortest notice and on the most reasonable terms. He has just received a large stock of durable and neat cases, of all sizes and styles, including a new pattern of Family Case for four persons, and is prepared to fill them with perfect likenesses,
AMBROTYPE, DAGUERREOTYPE OR PHOTOGRAPH.
Give him a call. Rooms on the corner of Montgomery and Allegheny streets, Hollidaysburg, Pa. [June 17-tf.

SWAN & CO'S LOTTERIES TRIUMPHANT!!

SWAN & CO.
CONTINUE TO DRAW AS USUAL WITHOUT INTERRUPTION.

SWAN & CO.'S
Are Legal, and authorized by the State of Georgia.

THE LATE ATTEMPT TO INJURE OUR FIRM HAS SHOWN THAT OUR LOTTERIES ARE DRAWN FAIRLY; THAT OUR PRIZES ARE PAID PUNCTUALLY; AND THAT OUR SCHEMES ARE MORE LIBERAL THAN ANY OTHER LOTTERY IN THE WORLD!

The following Scheme will be drawn by S. Swan & Co., Managers of the Sparta Academy Lottery, in each of their Single Number Lotteries for July, 1858, at AUGUSTA, GEORGIA, in public, under the superintendence of Commissioners:

Class 22 draws on Saturday, July 3, 1858.
Class 23 draws on Saturday, July 10, 1858.
Class 24 draws on Saturday, July 17, 1858.
Class 25 draws on Saturday, July 24, 1858.
Class 26 draws on Saturday, July 31, 1858.

ON THE PLAN OF SINGLE NUMBERS.
50,000 Tickets!
FIVE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-FIVE PRIZES!
Nearly one Prize to every Nine Tickets!
MAGNIFICENT SCHEME!
TO BE DRAWN EACH SATURDAY IN JUNE.

1	Prize of	$70,000	4	Prize of	900
1	" "	30,000	4	" "	800
1	" "	10,000	4	" "	700
1	" "	5,000	4	" "	600
1	" "	4,000	50	Prizes of	500
1	" "	3,000	50	" "	300
1	" "	1,500	100	" "	125
4	" "	1,000	230	" "	100

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.

4	Prizes of $400	Approx'ting	to $70,000	Prizes are	$1,600
4	" " 300	"	" 30,000	" "	1,200
4	" " 200	"	" 10,000	" "	800
4	" " 125	"	" 5,000	" "	500
4	" " 100	"	" 4,000	" "	400
4	" " 75	"	" 3,000	" "	300
4	" " 50	"	" 1,500	" "	200
5,000	" " 20 are				100,000

5,485 Prizes amounting to $320,000
Whole Tickets $10; Halves $5; Quarters $2,50.

☞ A Circular showing the plan of the Lotteries will be sent to any one desirous of receiving it.

Certificates of Packages will be sold at the following rates which is the risk:

Certificate of package of 10 Whole Tickets,		$80
" " 10 Half	"	40
" " 10 Quarter	"	20
" " 10 Eight	"	10

IN ORDERING TICKETS OR CERTIFICATES.

Enclose the money to our address for the tickets ordered, or receipt of which they will be forwarded by first mail.—Purchasers can have tickets ending in any number they may designate.

The list of Drawn Numbers and Prizes will be sent to purchasers immediately after the drawing.

Purchasers will please write their signatures plain, and give their Post Office, County and State.

Remember that every Prize is drawn and payable in full without deduction.

All prizes of $1,000 and under, paid immediately after the drawing—other prizes at the usual time of 30 days.

All communications strictly confidential.

Address orders for tickets or certificates to
S. SWAN & CO., *Augusta, Ga.*

Persons residing near Montgomery, Ala., or Atalanta, Ga. can have their orders filled, and save time, by addressing S. Swan & Co., at either of those cities.

A list of the numbers that are drawn from the wheel, with the amount of the prize that each one is entitled to, will be published after every drawing, in the following papers:—*New Orleans Delta, Mobile Register, Charleston Standard, Nashville Gazette, Atlanta Intelligencer, New York Weekly Day Book, Savannah Morning News, Richmond Dispatch, New York Dispatch, and Paulding (Miss.) Clarion Augusta (Geo.) Constitutionalist.* [jan.7-1y.

MARYLAND STATE LOTTERIES FOR JULY, 1858.
R. France & Co.,
Managers of the Maryland State Lotteries, present the following Splendid Schemes
FOR JULY, 1858.

They caution purchasers of Tickets to beware of ordering Tickets in Lotteries where extraordinary large Capitals are offered for a small cost of Tickets—all such are swindles.

The Maryland Lotteries have been in existence for Forty Years. They are drawn by a State Officer, and can be relied on. If you draw a Prize, you will get your money.—The whole country is flooded with bogus Lottery concerns. Beware of them.

☞ Order in the Maryland State Lotteries.

MAGNIFICENT SCHEME.
MARYLAND STATE LOTTERY, CLASS L,
To be drawn in Baltimore City, July 24, 1858.

☞ 14 Drawn Ballots in each Package of 26 tickets, ☜ Making more Prizes than Blanks.—Every Package of 26 Tickets must contain 14 drawn numbers, so that there are 14 Prizes to 12 Blanks.

1 Grand Prize of	$40,000	1 Prize of	$2,000
1 Prize of	10,000	4 Prize of	2,000
1 Prize of	10,000	10 Prize of	1,250
1 Prize of	10,000	10 Prize of	500
1 Prize of	10,000	10 Prize of	300
1 Prize of	6,000	317 Prize of	150
1 Prize of	6,000	64 Prize of	100
1 Prize of	6,000	64 Prize of	60
1 Prize of	6,000	64 Prize of	40
1 Prize of	3,000	5,632 Prize of	20
1 Prize of	3,000	28,224 Prize of	10
1 Prize of	3,000		

34,412 Prizes, amounting to $601,000.
Tickets $10—Halves $5—Quarters $2,50—Eighths $1,25.

A Certificate of Package of		26 Wholes, costs	$149 50
Do.	do.	26 Halves,	74 75
Do.	do.	26 Quarters,	37 37
Do.	do.	26 Eighths,	18 68

HAVANA PLAN.

This is the old mode of Drawing. Prizes in one Wheel and Tickets in another.

Every Prize is drawn out.
Every Prize paid in full without deduction!
MARYLAND STATE LOTTERY, EXTRA CLASS 3
To be drawn in Baltimore, Md., Saturday, July 31st, 1858.
20,165 Prizes! 40,000 Numbers!!

We would call particular attention to the following splendid scheme, a package of 16 whole tickets costing only $80—and every other ticket being warranted to draw $10, determined by the number drawing the Capital Prize, whether odd or even.

SPLENDID SCHEME!

1 Prize of	$35,000	4	Appr's to	$200
1 Prize of	10,000	4	"	100
1 Prize of	5,000	4	"	50
1 Prize of	2,400	4	"	50
1 Prize of	2,000	4	"	50
1 Prize of	1,000	8	"	50
1 Prize of	1,000			
1 Prize of	500	8	"	50
1 Prize of	500			
1 Prize of	400	8	"	50
1 Prize of	400			
1 Prize of	200	8	"	50
10 Prizes of	200			
100 Prizes of	100 are			10,000
20,000 Prizes of	10 are			200,000

Whole Tickets $10—Halves $5—Quarters $2,50.

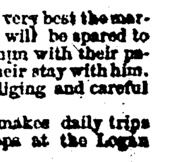
A Managers' Certificate of 16 Wholes—where persons wish to pay the risk only, will be sent for $96

Do.	do.	16 Halves,	48
Do.	do.	16 Quarters,	24
Do.	do.	16 Eighths,	12

The Managers have been compelled from the numerous complaints made to them, of unfaithfulness on the part of those who have been attending to the filling of orders, to resume the correspondence business in their own name.

Order tickets from the Managers only.
Adrress all letters to R. FRANCE & CO.
March 4-1y] Baltimore, Md.

LOGAN HOTEL.—THE UNDERSIGNED respectfully informs the citizens of Blair county and others, that he has opened up the LOGAN HOUSE, formerly kept by Sheriff Rees, at the west end of Hollidaysburg, for the reception of strangers and travellers.—



Everything connected with the house has been refitted in the new with the choicest furniture, &c., &c.

The house is large and commodious, and well calculated for convenience and comfort.

His TABLE will be furnished with the very best the market can afford, and no pains or trouble will be spared to render those who may choose to favor him with their patronage comfortable and happy during their stay with him.

His STABLING is ample, and an obliging and careful hostler will always be in attendance!

☞ The Williamsburg stage, which makes daily trips between this place and Williamsburg, stops at the Logan Hotel.
Dec. 17, 1857.—tf.] JOHN KEIFFER.

BRICK! BRICK!! BRICK!!!—The undersigned subscriber has on hand now and for sale a
FIRST RATE QUALITY OF RED BRICK,
at the well-known Brick Yard at McCahan's "Bluff," where he is prepared to furnish any quantity of BRICK on short notice. Orders from a distance will be attended to, and Brick delivered in the cars. Address
April 1, 1858-3m. WILLIAM VAUGHN,
Duncansville, Blair county, Pa.

CASH SYSTEM ADOPTED.—THE subscriber hereby gives notice that on and after the 1st day of July, 1858, he will adopt the cash system in his business. Having suffered heavy losses and much embarrassment by indulging in the credit system, he is determined to dispose of no more coal, after the above date, except for the ready cash.
June 17-tf.] JOHN ALLISON.

BLANKS OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS neatly and expediciously executed at this office.

SPECTACLES AND EYE PRESERvers for sale at [1-tf.] KESSLER'S.

INTENSE EXCITEMENT!—McCORMICK'S NEW GOODS HAVE ARRIVED AND ARE NOW BEING OPENED FOR INSPECTION AND SALE.

"Halloo, neighbor, I'm here on the ground again. Perhaps you recollect when I, last year, asked you to hold my horse a moment and tell me where the CHEAP STORE was. But it is different now. It reminds me a little of the campaign of 1840, when Gen. Harrison was elected President. You have only to go with the crowd and you will have no difficulty in finding McCORMICK'S STORE. From the excitement down the valley, and the quantity of goods I see carried away, they must be selling off very rapidly and very cheap."

"You are right, my friend; I would say to you, sir, go ahead and your anticipations will be fully realized. He has a very large and well selected assortment of Goods. He'll sell you a dress for *fifty cents* and give the trimmings into the bargain, I'm told, and all other goods in proportion."

"Good bye, neighbor, that's where I am going to buy my goods."

"That's right, and so should everybody else. Good bye."

DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
HARDWARE,
QUEENSWARE,
STONEWARE,
CEDARWARE,

Hats and Caps, very cheap Bonnets, Misses' Flats, &c.; Ladies' Gaiters, Shoes and Slippers, with Misses, Boys and Men's Boots and Shoes, and every other article kept in a first class country store, can be had *cheap for cash*, at McCormick's.

All articles of country produce taken in exchange for goods. R. H. McCORMICK.

Altoona, May 13, 1858.–1y.

HOUSE, SIGN, ORNAMENTAL & CARRIAGE PAINTING.—The undersigned beg leave to inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that they have commenced the business of

HOUSE, SIGN, ORNAMENTAL AND CARRIAGE PAINTING, GLAZING, PAPER-HANGING, VARNISHING, &C., &C.,

in all their various branches, and are prepared to do all work entrusted to them with neatness and despatch.

They have on hand a large assortment of painting materials and Window Glass of all sizes, also Stained Glass and Looking-Glass Plates, which enables them to do work in an improved style and at reduced rates.

By strict attention to business we hope to merit a share of public patronage.

Our room is on Virginia street, immediately opposite Kessler's Drug Store. KEYES & WALSH.

April 8, 1858-3m*

VALUABLE PROPERTY FOR SALE.—The undersigned offers for sale a tract of EIGHTY ACRES of land, situate in Furguson township, Clearfield county, on the South side of the West Branch of the Susquehanna River, about five miles from Curwensville and one mile below Lumber City. The premises are conveniently situated, and among other inducements to purchasers are two extensive beds of

IRON ORE,

one of which exceeds nine feet in thickness and yields from forty-five to eighty per cent. There is also an abundance of

LIMESTONE AND STONE COAL

on the premises, making it a desirable situation to persons wishing to engage in the manufacture of Iron.

There is the best of water power on the premises, and the river is navigable with arks, boats, &c., from this point.

Persons desiring any further information will address WM. G. McCRACKEN,

March 25-3m.] New Millport, Clearfield Co., Pa.

THE MORMONS EVACUATING SALT LAKE CITY!!

Tremendous Excitement in East Altoona!

The subscribers respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and the rest of mankind that they are now prepared to carry on the BLACKSMITHING BUSINESS in all its various branches, at the new stand next door below Peter Reed's Cabinet Shop, on Adeline street, in East Altoona. They flatter themselves that they are ABLE to render satisfaction to all who may favor them with their patronage; and no effort will be wanting on their part to merit the patronage of the community. Wagons, Carriages, &c., made and ironed to order, for which good lumber will be taken. Remember the place, on Adeline St., where Blacksmithing is done on the shortest notice and most reasonable terms. JOHN W. HOOPER,

Altoona, May 27, '58.–2m] T. A. JAMES.

A CARD!—THE UNDERSIGNED begs leave to inform the citizens and inhabitants of Altoona and vicinity, that he has taken the Drug Store formerly occupied by F. A. Sellers, Agent, where he has on hand and is constantly receiving a large assortment of MEDICINES, PATENT MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, PERFUMERY, GLASSWARE, etc., generally kept in a Drug Store, all of which he warrants to be perfectly pure and fresh, having selected every article himself, and which he will sell at the lowest cash prices.

Having been engaged in a first-class Drug and Prescription store in Pittsburg for a length of time, he is competent to compound Prescriptions and Family Recipes in the most accurate and scientific manner, and cordially invites the public to give him a call. A. ROUSH,

Altoona, June 10, '58.–tf] *Druggist and Apothecary.*

RESTAURANT AND LAGER BEER SALOON.—The subscriber would respectfully announce that he will keep constantly on hand, at his saloon

Under the Masonic Temple,

a supply of refreshments, such as Cakes, Cheese, Sardines, Pretzels, and an excellent article of LAGER BEER, manufactured at the Altoona Brewery, which is pronounced the best in the country. His saloon is fitted up in good style for the comfort and accommodation of his patrons, and he hopes by strict attention to their wants to merit and receive a fair share of patronage.

May 13, 1858.–1y] FERDINAND NOTHWANG.

BLANK BOOKS AND STATIONARY. WM. S. HAVEN, JOB PRINTER, STATIONER AND BLANK BOOK MANUFACTURER,

Corner Market & Second Sts. Pittsburg, Pa.

respectfully invites attention to his large and well selected stock of

Blank Book, Paper and Stationary, Rail Road, Mercantile and Book Printing,

of every description, promptly executed.

Agent for L. Johnson & Co., Type Founders, Philadelphia. [June 17-1y.

REMOVAL!

I HAVE REMOVED MY WAREROOM to the corner of SMITHFIELD and THIRD Streets, opposite Young's Furniture Wareroom.

Pittsburgh, April 1, 1858-3m. WM. NOBLE.

FURNISHING WAREROOM.

I HAVE OPENED A STORE FOR the sale of EVERY ARTICLE wanted in FURNISHING A DWELLING HOUSE, Mattresses, Beds, Bolsters and Pillows; Comforts, Spreads, and Quilts of every style and price. Satin, De Laine and Lace Curtains; Damask and Moreens, Brocatels and Plushes; Muslin Curtains, Figured Muslin and with Lace Edge; Tassels and Cords of every description. Gilt Cornices of every variety and style, and some splendid patterns for windows; Gimp and Brass Bands; Blinds of all kinds; Window Shades of every price and style. Also, Venetian Blinds. Friends and strangers are invited to call and see us in the new store.

Pittsburgh, April 1, 1858-3m. WM. NOBLE.

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

A NEW STOCK OF READY-MADE CLOTHING

SUITABLE FOR THE SEASON, JUST RECEIVED BY ETTINGER & ULLMAN, AND NOW BEING DISPOSED OF AT PRICES WHICH DEFY COMPETITION.

MR. ULLMAN announces that he is always on hand and will take great pleasure in waiting upon all who may favor him with a call. He feels confident that he will be able to render satisfaction both in quality and price. [April 15-3m

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given that letters of Administration on the estate of JAMES MOORE, late of Logan township, Blair county, deceased, have been granted by the Register, &c., to the undersigned, residing in Antes township. All persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment; and those having claims against it will present them duly authenticated for settlement. JOHN J. BURKHOLDER, *Adm'r.*

May 27, 1858.–6t

NOTICE.—WHEREAS, LETTERS of Administration on the Estate of Adam Robinson, late of the township of Logan, Blair county, deceased, have been granted to the subscriber; all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment; and those having claims or demands against the estate, will please make known the same without delay to

Altoona, May 13, 1858.–6t JACOB GOOD, *Adm'r.*

RAISINS.—1,000 BOXES BUNCH and Layer Raisins in store and for sale by WM. N. SHUGARD,

March 25, '58-1y] 191 North 3d street, Philadelphia.

FIGS, DATES, PRUNES, CITRONS and Currants in store and for sale by WM. N. SHUGARD,

March 25, '58-1y] 191 North 3d street, Philadelphia.

CONFECTIONARY.—PLAIN AND fine Confectionary manufactured and for sale by WM. N. SHUGARD,

March 25, '58-1y] 191 North 3d street, Philadelphia.

ALMONDS, WALNUTS, CREAM Nuts and Filberts in store and for sale by WM. N. SHUGARD,

March 25, '58-1y] 191 North 3d street, Philadelphia.

500 DOZEN FRESH EGGS JUST received and for sale by J. L. ICKES.

TO THE PUBLIC.—13,787 GIFTS FOR THE PEOPLE. EL DORADO GIFT ASSOCIATION for the sale of $13,787 worth of Sewing Silk. Each purchaser of one dollar's worth of Sewing Silk will receive a numbered check, which will entitle the holder to one share and a voice in the distribution of the following list of Valuable Property, to be distributed by a Committee, chosen by the shareholders, in such a manner as they may deem advisable and agree upon among themselves.

LIST OF PROPERTY.

7 corner Lots on Washington street Altoona, 50 by 120 feet, valued at $184 each,	$1,288
17 lots on Washington st., 50x120 ft., $156 each,	2,652
8 cor. lots on Mulberry st., " " 156 "	1,248
19 lots on Mulberry st., " " 132 "	3,508
2 lots on High street, " " 63 "	126
1 cor. lot on German street, 50x175 ft., valued at	63
3 lots on German street, " " $42 each	126
1 lot on Howard street, 50x133 feet, valued at	132
1 cor. lot on Lexington st., " " "	150
2 lots on Chestnut street, " " $131 each,	262
1 Gold Lever Watch, valued at	100
1 Horse, " "	157
1 Two-Horse Wagon, " "	42
1 Silver Lepine Watch " "	16
12 Coat Patterns and Trimmings, $10 each,	120
50 Pants and Vest patterns, at $4,40 each,	220
75 Articles or Parcels of Merchandise, $3,00 each,	225
100 " " " 2,00 "	200
100 " " " 1,00 "	100
500 " " " 75 "	375
2,000 " " " 50 "	1,000
3,000 " " " 30 "	900
4,000 " " " 25 "	1,000
3,885 " " " 20 "	777
13,787 Gifts, valued at	$13,787

The Real Estate in this Enterprise is handsomely situated in the flourishing town of Altoona, (Head-quarters of the Pa. Central R. R. Co.) which in a few years has grown as if by magic, its present population being over 3,000.

The above property will be delivered to the persons entitled to receive it, immediately after the distribution.

An indisputable title to all the lots in the above bill will be given by R. H. McCORMICK.

The articles or parcels per bill, will consist of cloths, cassimeres, de laines, &c., &c.

My object is to dispose of the silk in the shortest possible time, and I desire everybody to purchase soon and became members of this *Magnificent Association.*

The silk will be sent to any part of the United States, with Certificate of Membership, (for each dollar's worth purchased,) on receipt of the cash.

Agents or clubs remitting $10 at one time, will receive in return $11 worth of silk and 11 certificates

All orders must be addressed to JOSEPH MOIST,

June 10, 1856-tf.] *Altoona, Blair Co., Pa.*

All orders by mail, with postage stamp enclosed, promptly attended to.

NEW FIRM AND NEW GOODS.—J. & J. LOWTHER have just returned from the City and are now receiving their stock of

SPRING GOODS,

which they feel assured are as HANDSOME and CHEAP, *if not a little cheaper*, than any yet brought to this place.

On account of going to Philadelphia late in the season, we have been able to buy our goods at greatly reduced prices, and we are determined to sell them at very small profits for cash or to prompt monthly paying customers.

We have as usual a splendid stock of

LADIES' DRESS GOODS,

such as LAWNS, ROBES A' QUILLE, CHALLIES, BAYADERE, LARELLAS, DUCALS, POIL, DECHEVRES, DELAINS, PRINTS, GINGHAMS, &c.

Also, Shawls and Mantillas in great variety, together with a good stock of Domestic Dry Goods, Straw Goods,

BOOTS & SHOES, HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, GROCERIES, &c., &c.

The citizens of Altoona will find it to their advantage to examine our stock, as we are not to be undersold.

April 29, 1858.

CHEAP GOODS! CHEAP GOODS!—The subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has just received his stock of

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

consisting, in part, of

LADIES' PLAIN AND FANCY DRESS GOODS,

such as Silks, Satins, Bareges, D'Laines, Challies, Ducals, Lawns, Ginghams, Prints, &c., together with all kinds of Dry Goods, all of which will be sold cheap for cash.

He has also on hand a large stock of

GROCERIES, QUEENSWARE, HARDWARE, BOOTS AND SHOES,

and all other goods usually kept in stores in this place.

Having adopted the CASH SYSTEM in my business and being resolved to carry it out, I have marked my goods at CASH PRICES, and invite inspection and comparison, in regard to prices and quality, with those of any other store in the town. Give me a call and judge for yourselves.

Country produce taken in exchange for goods, at the highest market prices.

April 29-1y] J. B. HILEMAN.

SAVING FUND, FIVE PER CENT INTEREST, NATIONAL SAFETY TRUST CO., *Walnut street, S. W. Corner of Third, Philadelphia.* Incorporated by the State of Pennsylvania.

Money is received in any sum, large or small, and interest paid from the day of deposit to the day of withdrawal.

The office is open every day from 9 o'clock in the morning till 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and on Monday and Thursday evenings till 8 o'clock.

Hon. HENRY L. BENNER, *Pres't.*
ROBERT SELFRIDGE, *Vice-Pres't.*
WM. J. REED, *Secretary.*

DIRECTORS.

Hon. Henry L. Benner,	F. Carrol Brewster,
Edward L. Carter,	Joseph B. Barry,
Robert Selfridge,	Francis Lee,
Sam'l K. Ashton,	Joseph Yerkes,
C. Landreth Munns,	Henry Dieffenderfer.

Money is received and payments made daily without notice.

The investments are made in REAL ESTATE MORTGAGES, GROUND RENTS, and such first class securities as the Charter requires [Mar2-5m.

W. CUNNINGHAM, D. CUNNINGHAM, R. CUNNINGHAM, D. IHMSEN, G. DUNCAN.

CUNNINGHAMS & CO.,

PITTSBURGH CITY GLASS WORKS,

WAREHOUSE 109 WATER ST. AND 140 FIRST ST., PITTSBURGH, PA.,

Between Wood and Smithfield,

MANUFACTURERS OF

Pittsburgh City Window Glass,

DRUGGISTS' GLASS-WARE,

AND AMERICAN CONVEX GLASS,

For Parlor Windows, Churches and Public Buildings.

Altoona, April 1, 1858-1y.]

ENTERPRISE WORKS,

NO. 136 WOOD STREET, PITTSBURGH, PA.

BOWN & TETLEY,

Manufacturers of Rifles, Guns, Surgical and Dental Instruments, &c.

RIFLE GUNS.

We would call attention to our stock in the above line, knowing that we cannot be beat either in the quality or price. Being largely engaged in this branch of business, we defy all competion. All our rifles are warranted or no sale. Hardware, Sporting Materials, Cutlery, Pistols, Guns, Revolvers, Flasks, Belts, Powder, Shot, Balls, Caps, Fancy Hardware and Sporting Equipage, in all its variety, which we offer low for Cash.

Pittsburgh, April 1, 1858-1y.

LYCOMING COUNTY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned, agent of the Lycoming Mutual Fire Insurance Company, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, *Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture and Property* of every description, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any company in the State. Office in the Masonic Temple.

Jan. 3, '56-tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, *Agent.*

WEST BRANCH INSURANCE CO.—The undersigned, Agent for Blair county, will take short and long risks on Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture and Property of every description, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any company in the State.—Risks also taken on the lives of horses. Office in Masonic Temple. JOHN SHOEMAKER, *Agent.*

March 18, 1858-1y.

LIQUORS.—A LARGE AMOUNT of well selected LIQUORS has been received at the "LOGAN HOUSE," Hollidaysburg, which will be sold at the lowest cash prices, wholesale or retail. The man who wants has only to call. [Dec. 17, tf.

RICH TOBACCO AND HIGHLY flavored Cigars, in abundance, can be had at

June 18, '57-1y] HENRY LEHR'S.

ORANGES AND LEMONS.—500 boxes Oranges and Lemons in store and for sale by WM. N. SHUGARD,

March 25, '58-1y] 191 North 3d street, Philadelphia.

SETTEES FOR SALE.—THE UNdersigned has on hand a lot of Settees which he will sell cheap for cash. JOHN SHOEMAKER,

March 25-tf.] Masonic Temple.

YOU CAN ALWAYS OBTAIN ALL kinds of Flour and Feed by calling at

June 18, '57-1y] HENRY LEHR'S.

EVERYBODY IS INVITED TO call and test the merits of the articles kept by

June 18, '57-1y] HENRY LEHR.

LOTS FOR SALE.—12 BUILDING Lots, situate in different localities, in this Borough for sale on reasonable terms, by [27-tf.] J. SHOEMAKER.

SPECTACLES AND EYE PRESERvers for sale at [1-tf.] KESSLER'S.

GREAT DISCOVERY OF THE AGE —IMPORTANT TO TOBACCO CHEWERS.

DR. GUSTAV LINNARD'S TASTE RESTORATIVE TROCHES, *the great Substitute for Tobacco.*

It is a well known and incontrovertable fact that the use of Tobacco is the promoting cause of many of the most severe

MENTAL AND PHYSICAL DISORDERS

to which the race of man is subject, as careful analysis and long and painful experience have clearly proven that it contains certain norcotic and poisonous properties most dangerous in their effects, which by entering into the blood derange the functions and operations of the Heart, causing many to suppose that organ to be seriously diseased.

TOBACCO affects also the entire nervous system, manifesting itself—as all who have ever used the noxious weed will bear testimony—in Lassitude, Nervous Irritability, Water Brash, Dyspepsia, and many other disorders of a similar character.

THE TASTE RESTORATIVE TROCHES

Are designed to counteract these baneful influences, and have proved completely successful in a multitude of cases, and wherever used. Being harmless in themselves they exert a beneficial effect upon the entire system, restoring the Taste which has become vitiated or destroyed by great indulgence, completely removing the irritation and accompanying tickling sensation of the Throat—which are always consequent upon abstaining from the use of Tobacco, and by giving a healthy tone to the Stomach, invigorate the whole system.

Persons who are irretrievably undermining their constitutions and shortening their lives, should use these Troches immediately and throw off the injurious and and unpleasant habit of Tobacco Chewing.

These Troches of Lozenges are put up in a convenient and portable form at the low price of 50 Cents per Box. A liberal discount to the Trade.

Prepared solely by the undersigned to whom all orders should be addressed.

JAMES E. BOWERS, Druggist.

March 18, 1y.] Cor. 2d and Race street, Phila.

JOHN BRYAR & CO., WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

WINES & LIQUORS,

AND

RECTIFYING DISTILLERS,

155 *Liberty St., Pittsburgh, Pa.,*

Beg leave respectfully to inform their old customers and the public generally, that they have on hand and are constantly receiving direct from the Importers, a large supply of the very choicest brands of Liquors Among their large assortment may be found

Wines, Brandies, Gin, Cordials, Jamaica Spirits, St. Croix and New England Rum, Champagne, Irish, Scotch, Bourbon, Old Monongahela and Rectified Whisky, Peach, Wild Cherry, Blackberry, Strawberry and Raspberry Brandies, &c., &c., &c.

A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited, and all orders entrusted to our care will be promptly attended to. Country Dealers will find it to their advantage to call upon us, as we are determined to sell nothing but the very best.

Pittsburgh, April 1, 1858-1y.

E. P. MIDDLETON & BROTHER, *Importers and Dealers in Wines and Liquors,* return their thanks to their friends for the liberal share of patronage heretofore bestowed, and respectfully solicit a continuance of the same, at the OLD ESTABLISHMENT, NO. 5 N. FRONT ST., Philadelphia, where they have a large assortment of WINES and LIQUORS of the choicest brands and qualities. Having made arrangements with some of the first houses in Cognac and Rochelle, enables them to furnish to their customers upon the most reasonable terms, the following brands of Cognac and Rochelle Brandies:

BRANDIES.

Otard, Hennesy, Marett, T Hines, Pellevorsin, A. Seignette, &c., &c.	*Pinnett, Castillion, Martell, J. J. Depuy & Co.*

WINES.

Champagne, Old Oporto, Claret, Sherry, Lisbon,	*Burgundy, Madeira, Teneriffe, Hock, Muscat & Malaga Wines*

of various brands and qualities.

Holland Gin, Scheidam Schnapps, Jamaica Spirits, Scotch and Irish Whiskeys; Peach, Apple, Lavender, Blackberry, Raspberry, Cherry and Ginger Brandies; Cordials, Wine Bitters, Amsterdam Bitters, &c.

Also, constantly on hand, an extensive stock of *OLD WHEAT, MONONGAHELA and BOURBON WHISKEYS*, of various grades, some of which we guarantee to be superior to any in the country.

From our long experience in the business, and thorough knowledge of the tastes of the community, we flatter ourselves to be able to fill all orders that may be entrusted to us. Orders from the country (which are most respectfully solicited) will be promptly attended to. Great care taken in packing and shipping.

All goods sent from our establishment are guaranteed to give satisfaction, with the privilege of being returned.

Feb. 26–1y] E. P. MIDDLETON & BRO.

APRIL, 1858.

GREAT INDUCEMENTS OFFERED AT THE HALL OF FASHIONS.

THE subscriber has the pleasure of announcing to the citizens of Altoona, and the "rest of mankind," that he is just receiving from Philadelphia and New York, a beautiful assortment of BRITISH, FRENCH and AMERICAN DRY GOODS, consisting, in part, of

ROBE A' QUILLE, CRAPE DI ESPANGE,
FANCY OPHUN BAREGE, PLAIN OPHUN BAREGE,
CHALLIES, DUCALS,
FRENCH LAWNS—BEAUTIFUL STYLES,
SCOTCH " " from 6¼ upwards
FANCY DRESS SILKS, BLACK DRESS SILKS,
FIGURED BRILLIANTS, GINGHAMS, PRINTS, &c.,

in great variety. He would call especial attention to his stock of SHAWLS, which for *style, quality and variety*, cannot be surpassed, and must be seen to be appreciated.

The assortment of White Goods and Ladies' Dress Trimmings are all that fashion could desire. Among his stock of Ladies' Misses and Children's Gaiters and Shoes will be found a full line from the best city manufacturers.

His stock of Groceries, Queensware, Hardware, &c., is complete.

He hopes his Goods and PRICES (which by the way defy competition,) will meet the approval of all who call upon him. Your patronage is respectfully solicited.

April 29,5m. CHAS. J. MANN.

THE SUMMER SEASON—JESSE SMITH would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and the public generally that he has just returned from the East with a large and varied assortment of

HATS AND CAPS,

Which he purchased at low prices for cash and will sell at

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, at but a small advance on the original cost. His stock comprises HATS and CAPS of every description, size and shape. All who are in want of anything in his line will do well to give him a call, as he feels confident he can suit the most fastidious, in quality and price.

He is always ready and willing to exhibit his stock *free of charge*, so that none need fear to call and examine before purchasing elsewhere.

Remember that his store is on Virginia street, directly opposite the Lutheran Church. [April 8-6m.

H. FETTINGER'S GREAT CENTRAL LITERARY EMPORIUM, NO. 1, "ALTOONA HOUSE," ALTOONA, PA.,

Where may be had all the popular Publications of the day, such as Daily and Weekly Papers, Magazines, Novels and Romances, Miscellaneous Books, School Books, Copy Books, Slates, Pens, Pencils, Inks, Cap and Letter Paper, Envelopes, Drawing and Tissue Paper, Blank Books and in fact everything in the Stationary line. Toys, Notions and Games of every variety, Pictures and Picture Frames, Tobacco and Segars of the best quality, &c., &c

N. B.—We are sole Wholesale and Retail Agent, in this county, for ROHN'S CELEBRATED SALVE. It does *positively* cure all sores to which it is applied. Try it. [1-tf.

BLAIR COUNTY INSURANCE AGENCY.—The undersigned, Agent of the Blair County Mutual Fire Insurance Company, is at all times ready to insure against loss or damage by fire, *Buildings, Merchandise, Furniture and Property*, of every description, in town or country, at as reasonable rates as any Company in the State. Office in the Masonic Temple.

Jan. 3, '56-tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, *Agent.*

COAL! COAL! COAL! COAL!—The subscriber would respectfully inform the consumers of COAL in Altoona, that he is constantly receiving all kinds of COAL, which he is ready to deliver at all times and to any part of the town. Office at residence, in North Ward.

June 17-2m] JOHN ALLISON.

CONVEYANCING.—ALL KINDS of writing done at the shortest notice.—Deeds, Mortgages, &c., executed in the neatest manner by JOHN SHOEMKER,

Jan. 3, 1857–tf.] Masonic Temple, Altoona.

O YES! O YES!—GENTLEMEN draw nigh and hear. JOSEPH P. TROUT announces to the public, that he is ready to discharge his duty as an Auctioneer whenever called upon. [jan. 2, '56.

HARDWARE OF ALL DESCRIPtions just received and for sale by

Oct. 15-tf] J. B. HILEMAN.

HAIR, HAT, TOOTH, SHAVING, Paint, Sash and Varnish Brushes at KESSLER'S.

HAMS, SIDE, SHOULDER, DRIED Beef, &c., always on hand at

June 18, '57-1y] HENRY LEHR'S.

PINE AND LARD OILS, CAMphene, Burning Fluid, Carbon Oil, &c., at

Jan. 3, '56-tf] KESSLER'S.

NONE BUT THE BEST CONFECtionaries, Nuts and Fruits kept at

June 18, '57-1y] HENRY LEHR'S.

IRON CITY COMMERCIAL COLLEGE. PITTSBURGH, PENNA. *Chartered 1855.*

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STOVES! STOVES! STOVES!—The undersigned has for sale, at his Store in Masonic Temple, a large assortment of

GALLAHER'S SUNRISE AIRTIGHT

Cooking Stove, a new and splendid Large Oven, Flat Top Stove, for Coal or Wood patented 1856.

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N. B. All kinds of Air-tight, Parlor Cooking and Egg Stoves on hand. [Sept. 11, '56-tf.

ANOTHER REDUCTION IN PRICE at McCormick's Store.

Having adopted the CASH SYSTEM, (or at least credit will not be given to any other than those who are *willing and can* give satisfactory reference and assurance of prompt monthly payment,) and desiring to make it the interest of all to patronize our store, we have made a very great reduction in the prices of all descriptions of goods, and will give our entire time and attention to keeping up an assortment to suit the wants of our customers, such as

DRY GOODS,
GROCERIES,
HARDWARE,
QUEENSWARE,
CEDARWARE,
STONEWARE,
BOOTS & SHOES.

Gaiters, Slippers, Hats and Caps, Dried Fruit, etc., all of which will be sold as cheap as the cheapest.

All articles of produce taken in exchange for goods at their highest market price.

Thankful for past favors, we hope to share the patronage of those who are in want of goods. [March 25-tf.

THE GREAT QUESTION WHICH now agitates the mind of every person is, where can I get the best article for my money? In regard to other matters, the subscriber would not attempt to direct, but if you want anything in the line of

BOOTS OR SHOES

he invites an examination of his stock and work:

He keeps constantly on hand an assortment of Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, Slippers, &c., which he offers at fair prices.

He will give special attention to custom work, all of which will be warranted to give satisfaction. None but the best workmen are employed.

Remember my shop is on Main street, next door to D. Kerr's old stand, now W. O'Neil's.

September 3, '57-tf] JOHN H. ROBERTS.

LOGAN HOTEL.—THE UNDERSIGNED respectfully informs the citizens of Blair county and others, that he has opened up the LOGAN HOUSE, formerly kept by Sheriff Rees, at the west end of Hollidaysburg, for the reception of strangers and travellers.—Everything connected with the house has been refitted in the new with the choicest furniture, &c., &c.

The house is large and commodious, and well calculated for convenience and comfort.

His TABLE will be furnished with the very best the market can afford, and no pains or trouble will be spared to render those who may choose to favor him with their patronage comfortable and happy during their stay with him.

His STABLING is ample, and an obliging and careful hostler will always be in attendance]

Dec. 17, 1857,—tf.] JOHN KEIFFER.

EXCHANGE HOTEL.—THE SUBSCRIBER would respectfully inform the public that he has recently refitted the above Hotel, and is now prepared to accommodate his friends and patrons in a comfortable manner, and he will spare no pains in making it an agreeable home for all sojourners. His Table will always be luxuriously supplied from the markets of the country and cities, and his Bar filled with liquors of choice brands. His charges are as reasonable as those of any other Hotel in the place, and he feels satisfied they can not be complained of by those who favor him with their custom. Expecting to receive a share of public patronage, and fully intending to deserve it, he throws open his house to the public and invites a trial.

Altoona, May 27, 1858.–1y] JOHN BOWMAN.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—THE UNdersigned has now on hand and will sell cheap at his store in the Masonic Temple, a large and complete assortment of BOOTS AND SHOES, ready made, or made to order, Overshoes, Ladies' Sandals, Gum Shoes, Cork Soles, and everything in his line of business, of the best quality and on the most reasonable terms. All custom work warranted.

Jan. 2, '56-tf.] J. SHOEMAKER.

OYSTERS! OYSTERS! OYSTERS! In consequence of the hard times, I have concluded to put down the price of my OYSTERS to the lowest possible standard. They will hereafter be served up on the Chafing Dish at TWENTY CENTS, and roasted in the shell and served up with all other accompaniments, TWENTY-FIVE CENTS. They will also be furnished, in every other way, at prices to correspond with the times.

JOHN KEIFFER,

Dec. 17, tf.] Logan House, Hollidaysburg.

CAST IRON RAILING AND ALL kinds of Castings executed to order, also Tin Spouting put up to order, at shortest notice, apply to

J. SHOEMAKER, *Agent for*

Jan. 3, 1856-tf. McLANAHAN, WATSON & Co.

QUEENSWARE, JUST RECEIVED. A large and fashionable assortment at the store of J. B. HILEMAN.

RIO COFFEE, SUGAR, TEA AND all kind of Groceries for sale by

June 18, 1857-1y] HENRY LEHR.

EGGS, BUTTER AND ALL KINDS of country produce can be had at

June 18, '57-1y HENRY LEHR'S.

LOVERING AND NEW ORLEANS Syrup Molasses, at fair prices, at

June 18, '57-1y] HENRY LEHR'S.

GLASS 8x10 TO 20x24, AND CUT to order by G. W. KESSLER.

IMPORTANT DISCOVERY. CONSUMPTION AND ALL DISEASES OF THE LUNGS AND THROAT ARE POSITIVELY Curable by Inhalation,

which conveys the remedies to the cavities in the lungs through the air passages, and coming in direct contact with the disease, neutralizes the tubercular matter, allays the cough, causes a free and easy expectoration, heals the lungs, purifies the blood, imparts renewed vitality to the nervous system, giving that tone and energy so indispensable for the restoration of health. To be able to state confidently that Consumption is curable by inhalation, is to me a source of unalloyed pleasure. It is as much under the control of medical treatment as any other formidable disease; ninety out of every hundred cases can be cured in the first stages, and fifty per cent. in the second; but in the third stage it is impossible to save more than five per cent., for the Lungs are so cut up by the disease as to bid defiance to medical skill. Even, however, in the last stages, Inhalation affords extraordinary relief to the suffering attending this fearful scourge, which annually destroys ninety-five thousand persons in the United State alone; and a correct calculation shows that of the present population of the earth, eighty millions are destined to fill the Consumptive's grave.

Truly the quiver of death has no arrow so fatal as Consumption. In all ages it has been the great enemy of life, for it spares neither age nor sex, but sweeps off alike the brave, the beautiful, the graceful and the gifted. By the help of that Supreme Being from whom cometh every good and perfect gift, I am enabled to offer to the afflicted a permanent and speedy cure in Consumption. The first cause of tubercles is from impure blood, and the immediate effect produced by their deposition in the lungs is to prevent the free admission of air into the air cells, which causes a weakened vitality through the entire system. Then surely it is more rational to expect greater good from medicines entering the cavities of the lungs than from those administered through the stomach; the patient will always find the lungs free and the breathing easy, after Inhaling remedies. Thus, Inhalation is a local remedy, nevertheless it acts constitutionally, and with more power and certainty than remedies administered by the stomach. To prove the powerful and direct influence of this mode of administration, chloroform inhaled will entirely destroy sensibility in a few minutes, paralyzing the entire nervous system, so that a limb may be amputated without the slightest pain; inhaling the ordinary burning gass will destroy life in a few hours.

The inhalation of ammonia will rouse the system when fainting or apparently dead. The odor of many of the medicines is perceptible in the skin a few minutes after being inhaled, and may be immediately detected in the blood. A convincing proof of the constitutional effects of inhalation, is the effect that sickness is always produced by breathing foul air—is not this positive evidence that proper remedies, carefully prepared and judiciously administered through the lungs should produce the happiest results? During eighteen years' practice, many thousands suffering from diseases of the lungs and throat, have been under my care, and I have effected many remarkable cures, even after the sufferers had been pronounced in the last stages, which fully satisfies me that consumption is no longer a fatal disease. My treatment of consumption is original, and founded on long experience and a thorough investigation. My perfect acquaintance with the nature of tubercles, &c., enables me to distinguish, readily, the various forms of disease that simulate consumption, and apply the proper remedies, rarely being mistaken even in a single case. This familiarity, in connection with certain pathological and microscopic discoveries, enables me to relieve the lungs from the effects of contracted chests, to enlarge the chest, purify the blood, impart to it renewed vitality, giving energy and tone to the entire system.

Medicines with full directions sent to any part of the United States and Canadas by patients communicating their symptoms by letter. But the cure would be more certain if the patient should pay me a visit, which would give me an opportunity to examine the lungs and enable me to prescribe with much greater certainty, and then the cure could be effected without my seeing the patient again.

G. W. GRAHAM, M. D.,

Office, 1131 Filbert Street, (old No. 109,) below Twelfth, Philadelphia. July 23, '57-1y.

INTENSE EXCITEMENT!—A NEW FIRM BROKE OUT IN A NEW PLACE.

M'LAIN & LEHR

Beg leave to inform their friends and the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, that they have opened a

GROCERY & PROVISION STORE,

in the room formerly occupied by John Lehr, on Virginia street, next door to Patton's Hall, where they will be happy to serve all who may favor them with a call. Their stock is a large and select one, consisting of

Flour,	Feed,	Bacon,
Pork,	Sugar,	Coffee,
Tea,	Molasses,	Fish,
Salt,	Potatoes,	Fish Oil,
Fluid,	Camphene,	Alcohol,

Cigars and Tobacco.

As they purchase all their goods for the READY CASH, and sell for the same, persons desiring of purchasing anything in their line, will do well to give them a call, as they will sell at but a trifling advance on first cost. We ask no man to pay for anything but what he buys. Give us a trial and see if we won't make our words good. [Jan 7-3f

STOVES! STOVES! STOVES.—The undersigned has just received from Philadelphia, North, Chase & North's celebrated Cooking Stoves for 1857.

THE ROYAL COOK

for Wood or Coal. This beautiful Cooking Stove challenges all competition for the exquisite style of ornament and perfect operation in all respects. The oven extends under the fire-box and the flues are so arranged that the whole oven surface will bake perfectly and uniformly. The slightest examination of this Stove must satisfy every one that it will become a universal favorite.

THE SEA SHELL,

for wood or coal. The fire-box is of good capacity—the ash-box is deep—the oven is capacious and is a thorough baker. This stove is one that may readily be recommended for family use, in every particular.

All kinds of heating and parlor stoves constantly on hand. JOSEPH H. BUSH.

April 16, '57-tf] *Opposite the American House, Altoona.*

COMPETITION IS THE LIFE OF TRADE.—Fully convinced of the truth of this saying, the subscriber would respectfully announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, that he has entered the field, by opening a

MERCHANT TAILORING ESTABLISHMENT,

in the room heretofore occupied by Michael Gallagher, immediately opposite the Superintendent's Office, where he will carry on the business as usual: He has just received an excellent assortment of

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES & VESTINGS;

suitable for working and dress suits, which he will make to order, on short notice and at prices which can not fail to satisfy. He has also received the LATEST STYLES of

FALL AND WINTER FASHIONS,

and feels confident that he can satisfy the most fastidious in this particular, and his clothing will be made as well as clothing can be made. In fine, he is determined that nothing shall be wanting on his part to render satisfaction to those who may favor him with their patronage.

Altoona, Nov. 5-tf.] JOHN TALBOT.

G. W. KESSLER—PRACTICAL DRUGGIST, respectfully announces to the citizens of Altoona and the public generally, that he still continues the Drug business, on Virginia street, where he keeps constantly on hand, for sale, Wholesale and Retail, DRUGS, MEDICINES, CHEMICALS, OILS, VARNISHES and DYE-STUFFS.

By strict attention to business, and a desire to render satisfaction to all as regards price and quality, he hopes to merit and receive a share of public patronage.

Physicians and merchants supplied on reasonable terms, and all orders from a distance promptly attended to.

Physicians prescriptions carefully compounded. [1-tf.

TIN AND SHEET IRON-WARE EMPORIUM.—The undersigned has constantly on hand a large assortment of

TIN AND SHEET IRONWARE

which he will sell cheap

WHOLESALE OR RETAIL.

Spouting put up at short notice in town or country, and painted, at 12½ cents per foot.

The best quality of Cooking Stoves, of various patterns, constantly on hand.

All kinds of Job Work done with neatness and dispatch. Call and see. JOS. H. BUSH,

June 10, '57-tf] *Opposite American House, Altoona.*

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BANKERS,

OFFICES AT

Hollidaysburg and Altoona.

DRAFTS ON THE PRINCIPAL CITIES, and Silver and Gold for sale. Collections made.—Moneys received on deposit, payable on demand, without interest, or upon time, with interest, at fair rates. [1-tf.

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ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, HOLLIDAYSBURG, BLAIR COUNTY, PA.,

Will practise in the several Courts of Blair, Huntingdon and Cambria counties, and attend promptly to all collection entrusted to him. Office (for the present) at his residence, corner Allegheny and Penn streets, Hollidaysburg, Pa. [2-38tf

WM. S. BITTNER,

SURGEON DENTIST,

Office immediately opposite the Lutheran Church, on Virginia street. [Oct. 15-tf.

J. G. ADLUM,

Notary Public,

ALTOONA, BLAIR COUNTY, PA.

Can at all times be found at the store of J. B. Hileman.

Altoona, October 1, 1857.–1y

ALL THE STANDARD PATENT MEDICINES AT [1-tf. KESSLER'S.

A SUPERIOR LOT OF FRESH GARDEN SEEDS for sale by [9tf] J. L. ICKES.

Of all disease, the great first cause Springs from neglect of Nature's laws.

SUFFER NOT; WHEN A CURE IS GUARANTEED IN ALL CASES OF SECRET DISEASES,

Self-Abuse, Nervous Debility, Strictures, Gleets, Gravel, Diabetes, Diseases of the Kidneys and Bladder, Mercurial Rheumatism, Scrofula, Pains in the Bones and Ancles, Diseases of the Lungs, Throat, Nose and Eyes, Ulcers upon the Body or Limbs Cancers Dropsy, Epileptic Fits, St. Vita's Dance, and all diseases arising from a derangement of the Sexual Organs, such as Nervous Trembling, Loss of Memory, Loss of Power, General Weakness, Dimness of Vision with peculiar spots appearing before the Eyes, Loss of Sight, Wakefulness, Dyspepsia, Liver Disease, Eruptions on the face, Pains in the Back and Head, Female Irregularities, and

ALL IMPROPER DISCHARGES FROM BOTH SEXES

It matters not from what cause the disease originated, however long standing or obstinate the case, recovery is *certain*, and in a shorter time than a permanent cure can be effected by any other treatment, even after the disease has baffled the skill of eminent physicians and resisted all their means of cure. The medicines are pleasant without odor, causing no sickness and free from mercury or balsam During twenty years of practice, I have rescued from the jaws of Death many thousands, who in the last stages of the above mentioned diseases, had been given up to die by their physicians, which warrants me in promising to the afflicted, who may place themselves under my care, a perfect and most speedy cure. Secret diseases are the greatest enemies to health, as they are the first cause of Consumption, Scrofula and many other diseases, and should be a terror to the human family. As a permanent cure is scarcely ever effected, a majority of the cases falling into the hands of incompetent persons, who not only fail to cure the disease, but ruin the constitution, filling the system with mercury, which, with the disease, hastens the sufferer into a rapid Consumption.

But should the disease and the treatment not cause death speedily, and the victim marries, the disease is entailed upon the children, who are born with feeble constitutions, and the current of life corrupted by a virus which betrays itself in Scrofula, Tetter, Ulcers, Eruptions and other affections of the skin, Eyes, Throat, and Lungs, entailing upon them a brief existence of suffering, and consigning them to an early grave.

SELF-ABUSE is another formidable enemy to health, for nothing else in the dread catalogue of human diseases causes so destructive a drain upon the system, drawing its thousands of victims, through a few years of suffering down to an untimely grave. It destroys the Nervous system, rapidly wastes away the energies of life, causes mental derangement, prevents the proper development of the system, disqualifies for marriage, society, business, and all earthly happiness, and leaves the sufferer wrecked in body and mind, predisposed to consumption and a train of evils more to be dreaded than death itself. With the fullest confidence I assure the unfortunate victims of Self-Abuse that a permanent and speedy cure can be effected, and with the abandonment of ruinous practices my patients can be restored to robust, vigorous health.

The afflicted are cautioned against the use of Patent Medicines, for there are so many ingenious snares in the columns of the public prints to catch and rob the unwary sufferers that millions have their constitutions ruined by the vile compounds of quack doctors, or the equally poisonous nostrums vended as "Patent Medicines." I have carefully analyzed many of the so called Patent Medicines and find that nearly all of them contain Corrosive Sublimate, which is one of the strongest preparations of mercury and a deadly poison, which instead of curing the disease disables the system for life.

Three-fourths of the patent nostrums now in use are put up by unprincipled and ignorant persons, who do not understand even the alphabet of the *materia medica*, and are equally as destitute of any knowledge of the human system, having one object only in view, and that to make money regardless of consequences.

Irregularities and all diseases of males and females treated on principles established by twenty years of practice, and sanctioned by thousands of the most remarkable cures. Medicines with full directions sent to any part of the United States or Canadas, by patients communicating their symptoms by letter. Business correspondence strictly confidential. Address

J. SUMMERVILLE, M. D.,

Office No. 1131 Filbert St., (Old No. 109) Below Twelfth, Philadelphia. July 23, '57-1y.

HOWARD ASSOCIATION, PHILADELPHIA.

A Benevolent Institution, established by special endowment for the relief of the sick and distressed, afflicted with Virulent and Epidemic diseases.

To all persons afflicted with Sexual Diseases, such as *Spermatorrhœa, Seminal Weakness, Impotence, Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Syphilis, the vice of Onanism or Self Abuse, &c., &c.*

The HOWARD ASSOCIATION, in view of the awful destruction of human life, caused by Sexual Diseases, and the deceptions practised upon the unfortunate victims of such diseases by Quacks, several years ago directed their Consulting Surgeon, as a *charitable act* worthy of their name, to open a Dispensary for the treatment of this class of diseases, in all their forms, and to give medical advice *gratis*, to all who apply by letter, with a description of their condition, (age, occupation, habits of life, &c.,) and in cases of extreme poverty and suffering, *to furnish medicine free of charge.* It is needless to add that the Association commands the highest Medical skill of the age, and will furnish the most approved modern treatment.

The Directors, on a review of the past, feel assured that their labors in this sphere of benevolent effort, have been of great benefit to the afflicted, especially to the young, and they have resolved to devote themselves, with renewed zeal, to this very important but much despised cause.

Just published by the Association, a Report on Spermatorrhœa, or Seminal Weakness, the vice of Onanism, Masturbation or Self-Abuse, and other diseases of the Sexual Organs, by the Consulting Surgeon, which will be sent by mail (in a sealed envelope,) *free of charge*, on the receipt of two postage stamps for postage.

Address, for Report or Treatment, Dr. GEORGE R. CALHOUN, Consulting Surgeon, Howard Association, No. 2 S. Ninth street, Philadelphia, Pa. By order of the Directors.

EZRA D. HEARTWELL, *Pres't.*

GEO. FAIRCHILD, *Sec'y.* [Dec. 3-1y.

ON MANHOOD, AND ITS PREMATURE DECLINE.—Just Published, Gratis, the 20th Thousand:

A FEW WORDS ON THE RATIONAL TREATMENT, without Medicine, of Spermatorrhea or Local Weakness, Nocturnal Emissions, Genital and Nervous Debility, Impotency, and Impediments to Marriage generally, by B. DE LANEY, M. D.

The important fact that the many alarming complaints, originating in the imprudence and solitude of youth, may be easily removed WITHOUT MEDICINE, is in this small tract, clearly demonstrated; and the entirely new and highly successful treatment, as adopted by the Author, fully explained, by means of which every one is enabled to cure HIMSELF perfectly and at the least possible cost, thereby avoiding all the advertised nostrums of the day.

Sent to any address, gratis and post free in a sealed envelope, by remitting (post paid) two postage stamps to Dr. B. DE LANEY, 38 East 31st street, New York City.

May 6, 1858.

SPRING AND SUMMER FASHIONS.—JOHN O.DONNELL, Merchant Tailor, late of Hollidaysburg, desires to inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, that he has leased the building two doors North of the Red Lion Hotel and one door South of Nagle's Saloon, on Main street, where he is now receiving his

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

consisting in part of Cloths of all prices, Plain and Fancy Cassimeres, suitable for sumer wear, Silk, Satin Velvet Marseilles and all kinds of light Summer Vestings, in short, everything that may be called for, all of which he will make to order, on short notice, and on the most reasonable terms.

His long experience in the business, he thinks, will enable him to please all who may favor him with their orders.

April 1, 1858-1y.

MAP OF BLAIR COUNTY.—THE subscribers propose to publish a New Map of Blair County, Pennsylvania, from actual surveys, containing all Public Roads, Rail Roads, Canals, the actual localities of Villages, Post Offices, Houses of Worship, School Houses, Manufactories, Tanneries, Mills, Hotels, Stores, Farm Houses, names of Property Owners, &c.

Enlarged Plans of the Principal Villages, a Table of Distances, and a Business Directory, giving the name and business of each subscriber, will be engraved on the margin. The plotting will be to a suitable scale so as to make a large and ornamental Map, which will be colored and mounted in the best style, and delivered to subscribers at $5 per copy.

April 15, 1858. SAMUEL GEIL, ISAAC G. FREED.

NATIONAL POLICE GAZETTE.—This Great Journal of Crime and Criminals is in its Twelfth Year, and is widely circulated throughout the country. It contains all the Great Trials, Criminal Cases, and appropriate Editorials on the some, together with information on Criminal Matters, not to be found in any other newspaper.

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To G. W. MATSELL & CO.,

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15-tf] *New York City.*

MEDICATED FUR CHEST PROTECTOR, A SAFE SHIELD AGAINST THOSE fearful diseases Bronchitis, Coughs, Colds, and other affections of the Lugs, which arise from the exposed state of the Chest, *according to fashion* and the continual changes of our climate, for sale at the Drug Store of G. W. KESSLER.

LEVI'S PREPARATION FOR EXterminating RATS, MICE, ROACHES, ANTS, and Bed-bugs without danger in its use under any circumstances, for sale at the Drug Store of

Jan. 24, '56-tf] G. W. KESSLER.

FLOUR.—THE BEST QUALITY OF FAMILY FLOUR for sale, Wholesale and Retail.—Apply to J. SHOEMAKER,

Dec. 11, 1856–tf. Masonic Temple.

LUMBER FOR SALE.—60,000 Shingles 50,000 Lathes, and all kinds of BUILDING MATERIAL, lower than the lowest, for Cash. Apply to JOHN SHOEMAKER.

ABDOMINAL SUPPORTERS, Trusses, and Shoulder Braces for sale at

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